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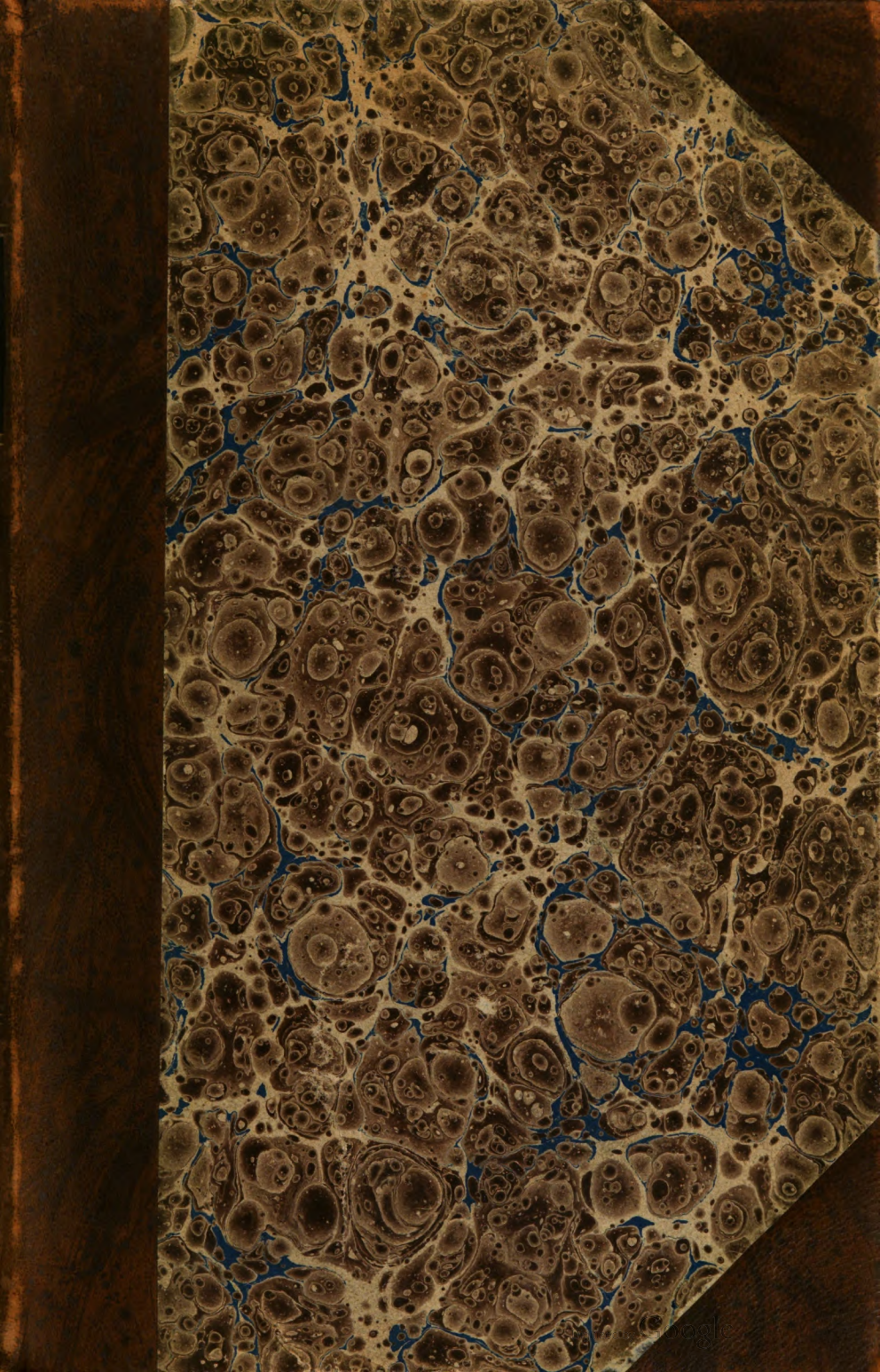

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FIXED AND MOVEABLE FESTIVALS, &c. &c. &c.

Epiphany	Jan. 6	Low Sunday	April 2
Septuagesima Sunday	„ 22	Rogation Sunday	„ 30
Shrove-Sunday	Feby. 5	Ascension-day	May 4
Ash Wednesday	„ 8	Whit-Sunday	„ 14
1st Sunday in Lent	„ 12	Trinity Sunday	„ 21
Palm Sunday	March 19	Midsummer-day	June 24
Good Friday	„ 24	Michaelmas-day	Sept. 29
Lady-day	„ 25	1st Sunday in Advent	Dec. 3
Easter Sunday	„ 26	Christmas-day	„ 25

GOVERNMENT HOLIDAYS.

The following days in the Year, besides Sundays, are observed as Holidays at the several Public Offices of Government:—

New Year's-day,

Her Majesty's Birthday, 24th February,

Ash Wednesday,

Good Friday,

Easter Monday and Tuesday,

Ascension-day,

His Majesty's Birthday, 28th May, unless it happens to be on a Sunday, in which case the next day is to be a Holiday.

Their Majesty's Coronation day, 8th September,

Christmas-day and two days subsequent.

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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON. D. H. M.
		New Moon, 7 5 6 *a.m.*
		First Quarter, 13 10 31 *p.m.*
		Full Moon, 22 1 5 *a.m.*
		Last Quarter, 29 11 50 *p.m.*
Sun.	1	*1st Sunday after Christmas.*
M	2	
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Th	5	
F	6	*Epiphany.*
S	7	
Sun.	8	*1st Sunday after Epiphany.*
M	9	
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Sun.	15	*2d Sunday after Epiphany.*
M	16	
T	17	
W	18	
Th	19	
F	20	
S	21	
Sun.	22	*Septuagesima Sunday.*
M	23	
T	24	
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S	28	
Sun.	29	*Sexagesima Sunday.*
M	30	
T	31	

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Days of the Month.	AT APPARENT NOON. THE SUN'S Right Ascension.	Diff. for 1 hour.	Declination.	Diff. for 1 hour.	Equation of Time, *to be added to Apparent Time.*	Diff. for 1 hour.	Semi-diam.
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3	18 56 29 39	11 006	22 49 37 5	15 43	4 52 94	1 146	16 17 3
4	19 0 53 54	10 990	22 43 27 2	16 55	5 20 45	1 130	16 17 3
5	19 5 17 30	10 971	22 36 49 9	17 68	5 47 57	1 111	16 17 2
6	19 9 40 60	10 951	22 29 45 7	18 79	6 14 24	1 091	16 17 2
7	19 14 3 43	10 930	22 22 14 8	19 89	6 40 42	1 070	16 17 2
8	19 18 25 74	10 907	22 14 17 5	20 98	7 6 11	1 048	16 17 1
9	19 22 47 51	10 883	22 5 54 0	22 07	7 31 25	1 024	16 17 1
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11	19 31 29 31	10 833	21 47 49 4	24 19	8 19 81	0 973	16 17 0
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13	19 40 8 64	10 778	21 28 3 1	26 27	9 5 90	0 919	16 16 9
14	19 44 27 30	10 749	21 17 32 6	27 29	9 27 95	0 890	16 16 8
15	19 48 45 28	10 720	21 6 37 6	28 30	9 49 31	0 861	16 16 8
16	19 53 2 56	10 690	20 55 18 4	29 29	10 9 98	0 831	16 16 7
17	19 57 19 13	10 660	20 43 35 4	30 28	10 29 93	0 801	16 16 6
18	20 1 34 97	10 628	20 31 28 8	31 23	10 49 16	0 769	16 16 5
19	20 5 50 05	10 597	20 18 59 2	32 19	11 7 62	0 738	16 16 4
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21	20 14 17 95	10 533	19 52 51 6	34 05	11 42 31	0 674	16 16 2
22	20 18 30 74	10 500	19 39 14 5	34 95	11 58 49	0 642	16 16 1
23	20 22 42 74	10 468	19 25 15 6	35 85	12 13 89	0 610	16 16 0
24	20 26 53 97	10 435	19 10 55 2	36 73	12 28 52	0 577	16 15 9
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26	20 35 14 04	10 368	18 41 11 5	38 44	12 55 42	0 511	16 15 7
27	20 39 22 88	10 335	18 25 49 0	39 28	13 7 68	0 477	16 15 5
28	20 43 30 92	10 302	18 10 6 4	40 09	13 19 13	0 445	16 15 4
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PHASES OF THE MOON.

	D.	H.	M.
New Moon,	5	3	28 *p.m.*
First Quarter,	12	2	58 *p.m.*
Full Moon,	20	7	43 *p.m.*
Last Quarter,	28	10	51 *a.m.*

Days of the Week.	*Days of the Month.*	
W	1	
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S	4	
Sun.	5	*Shrove Sunday.*
M	6	
T	7	
W	8	*Ash Wednesday.*
Th	9	
F	10	
S	11	
Sun.	12	*1st Sunday in Lent.*
M	13	
T	14	
W	15	
Th	16	
F	17	
S	18	
Sun.	19	*2d Sunday in Lent.*
M	20	
T	21	
W	22	
Th	23	
F	24	
S	25	
Sun.	26	*3d Sunday in Lent.*
M	27	
T	28	

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3	21 8 2 31	10 100	16 29 12 4	44 65	14 11 03	0 242	16 14 5
4	21 12 4 70	10 065	16 11 20 8	45 35	14 16 84	0 208	16 14 3
5	21 16 6 26	10 031	15 53 12 5	46 03	14 21 83	0 174	16 14 1
6	21 20 7 00	9 997	15 34 47 9	46 69	14 26 01	0 140	16 14 0
7	21 24 6 93	9 963	15 16 6 3	47 33	14 29 37	0 106	16 13 8
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17	22 3 22 57	9 643	11 56 22 7	52 79	14 19 48	0 213	16 11 9
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23	22 26 20 99	9 480	9 47 6 8	55 25	13 38 70	0 375	16 10 5
24	22 30 8 51	9 456	9 25 0 7	55 61	13 29 69	0 399	16 10 3
25	22 33 55 45	9 432	9 2 46 1	55 95	13 20 11	0 423	16 10 1
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON.
		New Moon, — D. 7 H. 1 M. 49 *a.m.*
		First Quarter, — 14 9 28 *a.m.*
		Full Moon, — 22 0 15 *p.m.*
		Last Quarter, — 29 6 37 *p.m.*
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Sun.	5	*4th Sunday in Lent.*
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Sun.	12	*5th Sunday in Lent.*
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Sun.	19	*Palm Sunday.*
M	20	
T	21	
W	22	
Th	23	
F	24	*Good Friday.*
S	25	*Lady-day.*
Sun.	26	*Easter Sunday.*
M	27	*Easter Monday.*
T	28	*Easter Tuesday.*
W	29	
Th	30	
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3	22 56 25 90	9 307	6 46 41 1	57 64	12 11 39	0 548	16 8 6
4	23 0 9 26	9 288	6 23 37 8	57 86	11 58 24	0 566	16 8 3
5	23 3 52 18	9 270	6 0 29 1	58 07	11 44 65	0 585	16 8 0
6	23 7 34 66	9 253	5 37 15 4	58 26	11 30 62	0 602	16 7 8
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9	23 18 39 67	9 206	4 27 8 9	58 73	10 46 10	0 648	16 7 0
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON.
		D. H. M.
		New Moon, 5 0 40 *p.m.*
		First Quarter, 13 4 33 *a.m.*
		Full Moon, 21 1 59 *a.m.*
		Last Quarter, 28 0 17 *a.m.*
S	1	
SUN.	2	*1st Sunday after Easter.*
M	3	
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SUN.	9	*2d Sunday after Easter.*
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SUN.	16	*3d Sunday after Easter.*
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T	18	
W	19	
Th	20	
F	21	
S	22	
SUN.	23	*4th Sunday after Easter.*
M	24	
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F	28	
S	29	
SUN.	30	*5th Sunday after Easter—Rogation Sunday.*

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5	0 57 4 52	9 125	6 6 22 2	56 77	2	45 32	0 729	15 59 6
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON.	D.	H.	M.	
		New Moon,	5	0	21	*a.m.*
		First Quarter,	12	10	58	*p.m.*
		Full Moon,	20	0	48	*p.m.*
		Last Quarter,	27	5	21	*a.m.*
M	1					
T	2					
W	3					
Th	4	*Ascension-day.*				
F	5					
S	6					
Sun.	7	*Sunday after Ascension.*				
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Sun.	14	*Whit-Sunday.*				
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Sun.	21	*Trinity-Sunday.*				
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Sun.	28	*1st Sunday after Trinity.*				
M	29					
T	30					
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7	2 56 47 86	9 692	16 50 8 2	41 04	3 40 05	0 165	15 51 5
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON. D. H. M.
		New Moon, 3 1 4 *p.m.*
		First Quarter, 11 3 49 *p.m.*
		Full Moon, 18 9 11 *p.m.*
		Last Quarter, 25 11 19 *a.m.*
Th	1	
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Sun.	4	*2d Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	11	*3d Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	18	*4th Sunday after Trinity.*
M	19	
T	20	
W	21	
Th	22	
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S	24	*Midsummer-day.*
Sun.	25	*5th Sunday after Trinity.*
M	26	
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3	4 44 39 35	10 272	22 19 57 4	17 98	2 15 84	0 415	15 46 8
4	4 48 45 88	10 288	22 27 8 9	16 99	2 5 89	0 429	15 46 7
5	4 52 52 78	10 300	22 33 56 7	16 01	1 55 59	0 442	15 46 6
6	4 56 59 98	10 313	22 40 20 9	15 01	1 44 98	0 455	15 46 5
7	5 1 7 50	10 324	22 46 21 2	14 01	1 34 05	0 466	15 46 4
8	5 5 15 28	10 335	22 51 57 5	13 00	1 22 86	0 478	15 46 3
9	5 9 23 33	10 345	22 57 9 6	12 00	1 11 40	0 488	15 46 2
10	5 13 31 62	10 353	23 1 57 5	10 98	0 59 70	0 495	15 46 1
11	5 17 40 10	10 362	23 6 21 1	9 96	0 47 81	0 504	15 46 0
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13	5 25 57 63	10 375	23 13 54 8	7 92	0 23 44	0 517	15 45 8
14	5 30 6 63	10 380	23 17 4 9	6 90	0 11 04	0 523	15 45 8
15	5 34 15 76	10 385	23 19 50 4	5 87	0 1 51	0 527	15 45 7
16	5 38 25 00	10 389	23 22 11 2	4 84	0 14 15	0 531	15 45 6
17	5 42 34 34	10 392	23 24 7 3	3 81	0 26 89	0 534	15 45 6
18	5 46 43 75	10 394	23 25 38 7	2 78	0 39 70	0 535	15 45 5
19	5 50 53 20	10 395	23 26 45 3	1 75	0 52 55	0 537	15 45 4
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21	5 59 12 20	10 395	23 27 44 5	0 32	1 18 35	0 537	15 45 3
22	6 3 21 68	10 395	23 27 36 9	1 35	1 31 24	0 537	15 45 3
23	6 7 31 15	10 393	23 27 4 6	2 38	1 44 12	0 535	15 45 2
24	6 11 40 57	10 388	23 26 7 5	3 41	1 56 95	0 531	15 45 2
25	6 15 49 89	10 385	23 24 45 6	4 44	2 9 69	0 527	15 45 2
26	6 19 59 14	10 380	23 22 59 0	5 47	2 22 34	0 523	15 45 1
27	6 24 8 27	10 375	23 20 47 8	6 50	2 34 88	0 517	15 45 1
28	6 28 17 26	10 368	23 18 11 9	7 52	2 47 28	0 510	15 45 1
29	6 32 26 09	10 360	23 15 11 4	8 54	2 59 52	0 502	15 45 1
30	6 36 34 73	10 351	23 11 46 5	9 56	3 11 57	0 493	15 45 0

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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON.
		New Moon, — D. 3 H. 2 M. 50 *a.m.*
		First Quarter, — 11 6 30 *a.m.*
		Full Moon, — 18 4 10 *a.m.*
		Last Quarter, — 24 7 27 *p.m.*
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Sun.	2	*6th Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	9	*7th Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	16	*8th Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	23	*9th Sunday after Trinity.*
M	24	
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Sun.	30	*10th Sunday after Trinity.*
M	31	

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	Right Ascension.	Diff. for 1 hour.	Declination.	Diff. for 1 hour.			
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4	6 53 6 87	10 304	22 54 3 6	13 58	3 57 33	0 446	15 45 0
5	6 57 14 16	10 289	22 48 37 6	14 57	4 8 03	0 431	15 45 1
6	7 1 21 10	10 274	22 42 47 9	15 56	4 18 38	0 416	15 45 1
7	7 5 27 68	10 258	22 36 34 5	16 54	4 28 37	0 400	15 45 1
8	7 9 33 86	10 241	22 29 57 5	17 51	4 37 98	0 383	15 45 1
9	7 13 39 64	10 223	22 22 57 2	18 48	4 47 17	0 366	15 45 2
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11	7 21 49 90	10 185	22 7 47 2	20 38	5 4 29	0 327	15 45 3
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16	7 42 7 25	10 082	21 23 17 0	25 00	5 38 74	0 224	15 45 5
17	7 46 9 21	10 060	21 13 16 9	25 90	5 44 12	0 203	15 45 6
18	7 50 10 65	10 038	21 2 55 2	26 79	5 48 99	0 181	15 45 7
19	7 54 11 56	10 015	20 52 12 2	27 67	5 53 33	0 158	15 45 8
20	7 58 11 93	9 992	20 41 8 1	28 54	5 57 13	0 135	15 45 8
21	8 2 11 74	9 969	20 29 43 1	29 40	6 0 38	0 113	15 45 9
22	8 6 11 00	9 947	20 17 57 4	30 25	6 3 08	0 090	15 46 0
23	8 10 9 72	9 924	20 5 51 3	31 10	6 5 24	0 067	15 46 1
24	8 14 7 89	9 900	19 53 24 9	31 93	6 6 85	0 043	15 46 2
25	8 18 5 48	9 877	19 40 38 5	32 75	6 7 88	0 020	15 46 3
26	8 22 2 52	9 853	19 27 32 5	33 56	6 8 36	0 004	15 46 3
27	8 25 58 98	9 828	19 14 7 0	34 36	6 8 26	0 028	15 46 5
28	8 29 54 85	9 804	19 0 22 3	35 15	6 7 58	0 053	15 46 6
29	8 33 50 15	9 780	18 46 18 7	35 93	6 6 31	0 077	15 46 7
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON.	D.	H.	M.
		New Moon,	1	5	39 *p.m.*
		First Quarter,	9	6	42 *p.m.*
		Full Moon,	16	10	58 *a.m.*
		Last Quarter,	23	6	36 *a.m.*
		New Moon,	31	9	20 *a.m.*
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Sun.	6	11*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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Sun.	13	12*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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Sun.	20	13*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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Sun.	27	14*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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3	8 53 17 64	9 653	17 31 27 3	39 62	5 51 06	0 203	15 47 3
4	8 57 9 31	9 628	17 15 36 4	40 32	5 46 18	0 228	15 47 5
5	9 1 0 37	9 602	16 59 28 8	41 01	5 40 71	0 254	15 47 6
6	9 4 50 82	9 576	16 43 4 6	41 68	5 34 62	0 280	15 47 8
7	9 8 40 64	9 551	16 26 24 4	42 34	5 27 91	0 304	15 47 9
8	9 12 29 87	9 527	16 9 28 2	42 99	5 20 61	0 329	15 48 1
9	9 16 18 51	9 501	15 52 16 5	43 62	5 12 71	0 355	15 48 2
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18	9 50 10 46	9 297	13 6 43 9	48 75	3 35 92	0 558	15 49 9
19	9 53 53 59	9 278	12 47 13 8	49 26	3 22 54	0 578	15 50 0
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21	10 1 18 45	9 240	12 7 37 2	50 25	2 54 86	0 615	15 50 4
22	10 5 0 20	9 222	11 47 31 3	50 72	2 39 60	0 633	15 50 6
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON.	D.	H.	M.
		First Quarter,	8	4	31 *a.m.*
		Full Moon,	14	6	48 *p.m.*
		Last Quarter,	21	9	14 *p.m.*
		New Moon,	30	2	21 *a.m.*
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Sun.	3	15*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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Sun.	10	16*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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Sun.	17	17*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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Sun.	24	18*th Sunday after Trinity.*			
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F	29	*Michaelmas-day*			
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4	10 52 28 57	9 038	7 11 1 2	55 61	1 6 61	0 816	15 53 5
5	10 56 5 48	9 028	6 48 46 6	55 88	1 26 20	0 826	15 53 8
6	10 59 42 15	9 018	6 26 25 4	56 14	1 46 03	0 836	15 54 0
7	11 3 18 59	9 010	6 3 58 0	56 39	2 6 10	0 844	15 54 3
8	11 6 54 83	9 002	5 41 24 6	56 63	2 26 36	0 852	15 54 5
9	11 10 30 88	8 995	5 18 45 6	56 84	2 46 81	0 859	15 54 8
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON. D. H. M.
		First Quarter, — 7 0 33 *p.m.*
		Full Moon, — 14 4 34 *a.m.*
		Last Quarter, — 21 3 15 *p.m.*
		New Moon, — 29 4 52 *p.m.*
Sun.	1	19*th Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	8	20*th Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	15	21*st Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	22	22*d Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	29	23*d Sunday after Trinity.*
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3	12 36 56 44	9 097	3 59 5 1	58 08	10 57 19	0 758	16 1 2
4	12 40 34 76	9 111	4 22 18 9	57 94	11 15 38	0 744	16 1 4
5	12 44 13 42	9 125	4 45 29 4	57 78	11 33 23	0 729	16 1 7
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7	12 51 31 80	9 158	5 31 39 0	57 44	12 7 87	0 697	16 2 3
8	12 55 11 58	9 175	5 54 37 5	57 24	12 24 60	0 680	16 2 6
9	12 58 51 78	9 192	6 17 31 2	57 02	12 40 92	0 662	16 2 8
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Days of the Week.	Days of the Month.	PHASES OF THE MOON.
		D. H. M.
		First Quarter, 5 7 43 *p.m.*
		Full Moon, 12 4 50 *p.m.*
		Last Quarter, 20 11 54 *a.m.*
		New Moon, 28 7 10 *a.m.*
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Sun.	12	*25th Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	19	*26th Sunday after Trinity.*
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Sun.	26	*27th Sunday after Trinity.*
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PHASES OF THE MOON.

	D.	H.	M.
First Quarter,	5	3	12 *a.m.*
Full Moon,	12	7	38 *a.m.*
Last Quarter,	20	9	32 *a.m.*
New Moon,	27	7	53 *p.m.*

Days of the Week.	*Days of the Month.*	
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SUN.	3	*Advent Sunday.*
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SUN.	10	*2d Sunday in Advent.*
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SUN.	17	*3d Sunday in Advent.*
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SUN.	24	*4th Sunday in Advent.*
M	25	*Christmas-day.*
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SUN.	31	*1st Sunday after Christmas.*

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Days of the Month.	AT APPARENT NOON.											
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PART I.

CONTAINING

CHARTER OF JUSTICE,
DIVISION OF DISTRICTS,
RULES AND ORDERS OF THE SUPREME COURT,
COURT FEES,
PROCTORS' FEES,
SUPPLEMENTARY RULES,
RULES OF PRACTICE,
MISCELLANEOUS RULES,
MARGINAL REFERENCES OF THE CHARTER AND RULES.

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WILLIAM THE FOURTH, BY THE GRACE OF GOD, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King, Defender of the Faith, TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME *Greeting.*

1. WHEREAS His late Majesty King George the Third by three several Charters and Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland bearing date respectively at Westminster the Eighteenth day of April in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and One, the Sixth day of August in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ten, and the Thirtieth day of October in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eleven, did establish within His said late Majesty's Settlements of the Island of Ceylon and the Territories and Dependencies thereof a certain Court called the Supreme Court of Judicature in the Island of Ceylon, and a certain other Court called the High Court of Appeal in the Island of Ceylon, and did make certain other provisions for the due administration of Justice in the said Settlements Territories and Dependencies. AND WHEREAS since the day on which the last of the said several Charters and Letters Patent bears date a certain Territory in the Interior of the said Island of Ceylon, called the Kingdom of Kandy or the Kandyan Provinces of the Island of Ceylon, hath become and now is subject to His Majesty, whereby the whole Island of Ceylon with its Dependencies has become and now is part of His Majesty's Dominions. AND WHEREAS it is provided by each and every of the said several Charters and Letters Patent that nothing therein respectively contained or any Act which should be done under the authority thereof respectively should extend or be deemed or construed to extend to prevent His said late Majesty his Heirs and Successors from making such further or other provision for the Administration of Justice throughout the said Settlements and Territories in the said Island of Ceylon with their Dependencies at his and their Will and Pleasure and as Circumstances might require His said late Majesty meaning and intending fully and absolutely and to all intents and purposes whatsoever to reserve to himself His Heirs and Successors such and the same rights and powers in and over the said Settlements Territories and Dependencies and every part thereof and especially touching the Administration of Justice therein and all other Matters and Things in and by the said several Charters and Letters Patent provided for as if the said several Charters and Letters Patent had not been made any thing therein contained or any Law Custom Usage Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding. AND WHEREAS it is expedient to make more general and more effectual provision for the Administration of Justice in the said Island and its Dependencies. NOW KNOW YE that We upon full consideration of the premises and of Our certain knowledge and mere motion have thought fit to revoke and annul, AND WE HEREBY REVOKE AND ANNUL each and every of the said Charters and Letters Patent such revocation

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to take effect at and from after the time when (as hereinafter mentioned) this Our Charter will come into operation in Our said Island.

2. AND WHEREAS in the several Districts and Provinces of the said Island there now are several Courts appointed to administer Justice by the exercise of Original Jurisdiction to the Inhabitants of the said Districts and Provinces known respectively by the names and titles of the Provincial Courts, the Courts of the Sitting Magistrates, the Court of the Judicial Commissioner, the Court of the Judicial Agent, the Courts of the Agents of Government, the Revenue Courts, and the Court of the Sitting Magistrate of the Mahabadde, AND WHEREAS such Courts differ among themselves in respect of their constitution of their rules of procedure and of the kinds and degrees of the Jurisdictions which they exercise within the Limits of their respective Districts or Provinces, NOW KNOW YE that We upon full consideration of the Premises have thought fit to direct ordain and appoint that the said Provincial Courts, the said Courts of the Sitting Magistrates, the said Court of the Judicial Commissioner, the said Court of the Judicial Agent, the said Courts of the Agents of Government, the said Revenue Courts and the said Court of the Sitting Magistrate of the Mahabadde, shall be and the same are hereby respectively abolished such abolition to take effect at and from after the time when (as hereinafter mentioned) this Our Charter will come into operation in Our said Island.

3. AND WHEREAS the Governor of Our said Island for the time being and the said Court of the Judicial Commissioner have hitherto exercised an Appellate Jurisdiction for the Administration of Justice in certain Cases arising in the Kandyan Provinces of Our said Island, AND WHEREAS certain Courts called the Minor Courts of Appeal and certain Courts called the Minor Courts of Appeal for Revenue Cases have hitherto exercised an Appellate Jurisdiction for the Administration of Justice in certain Cases arising in the Maritime Provinces of the said Island, AND WHEREAS the existence of several independent Appellate Judicatures in the said Island tends to introduce uncertainty into the Administration of Justice there, NOW KNOW YE that We upon full consideration of the premises have thought fit to direct and ordain and do hereby direct and ordain that the said Appellate Jurisdictions of the Governor of the said Island and of the said Court of the Judicial Commissioner respectively shall be and the same are hereby respectively abolished and that the said Minor Courts of Appeal and the said Minor Courts of Appeal for Revenue Cases and such their Appellate Jurisdiction shall be and the same are hereby abolished.

4. AND TO PROVIDE for the Administration of Justice hereafter in Our said Island Our Will and Pleasure is AND WE DO hereby direct that the entire Administration of Justice Civil and Criminal therein shall be vested exclusively in the Courts erected and constituted by this Our Charter and in such other Courts as may be holden within the said Island under any Commission issued or to be issued in pursuance of the Statutes in that case made and provided for the trial of Offences committed on the Seas or within the

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Jurisdiction of Our Lord High Admiral or the Commissioners for executing his Office or under any Commissions issued or to be issued by Our Lord High Admiral or by the Commissioners for executing his Office for the time being AND IT IS OUR PLEASURE AND WE HEREBY DECLARE that it is not and shall not be competent to the Governor of Our said Island by any Law or Ordinance to be by him made with the advice of the Legislative Council thereof or otherwise howsoever to constitute or establish any Court for the Administration of Justice in any Case Civil or Criminal save as hereinafter is expressly saved and provided PROVIDED NEVERTHELSS AND WE DO HEREBY DECLARE that nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to prevent any persons from submitting their differences to the Arbitration of certain Assemblies of the Inhabitants of Villages known in Our said Island by the name of Gangsabes.

5. AND WE DO hereby grant direct and appoint that there shall be within the said Island of Ceylon one Supreme Court which shall be called "THE SUPREME COURT OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON."

6. AND WE DO direct and appoint that the said Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon shall consist of and be holden by and before one Chief Justice and two Puisne Justices and that the Chief Justice shall be called and known by the name and style of THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON, and that the said Chief Justice and Puisne Justices shall from time to time be nominated and appointed to such their Offices by Letters Patent to be issued under the Public Seal of the said Island in pursuance of Warrants to be from time to time issued by Us Our Heirs and Successors under Our or Their Sign Manual and shall hold such their Offices during the pleasure of Us Our Heirs and Successors.

7. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that upon the death resignation sickness or incapacity of the said Chief Justice or any of the said Puisne Justices or in case of the absence of any of them from the said Island or in case of any such suspension from Office as hereinafter mentioned of any such Chief Justice or Puisne Justice it shall and may be lawful to and for the Governor of Our said Island for the time being by Letters Patent to be by him for that purpose made and issued under the Public Seal of the said Island to nominate and appoint some fit and proper Person or Persons to act as and in the place and stead of any such Chief Justice or Puisne Justice so dying or resigning or labouring under such sickness or incapacity as aforesaid or being so absent as aforesaid from the said Colony or being so suspended until the Vacancy or Vacancies so created by any such death or resignation or sickness or incapacity or absence or suspension shall be supplied by a new Appointment to be made in manner aforesaid or until the Chief Justice or Puisne Justice so becoming sick or incapable or being absent or suspended as aforesaid shall resume such his Office and enter into the discharge of the duties thereof.

8. AND WHEREAS cases may arise in which it may seem necessary to Our Governor for the time being of Our said Island that a Judge of the said Court should be suspended from the

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exercise of his functions therein provisionally until Our pleasure can be known. And it is expedient that no such Act of suspension should take place except upon the most evident necessity and after the most mature deliberation, And that in any such event the Judge who may be so suspended should receive the most early complete and authentic information of the Grounds of such Proceedings against him, WE DO THEREFORE declare direct and appoint that it shall and may be lawful for the Governor of Our said Island for the time being by any Order or Orders to be by him for that purpose made and issued under the Public Seal of the said Island with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Island or the major part of them upon proof of the misconduct or incapacity of any such Chief Justice or Puisne Justice as aforesaid but not otherwise to suspend him from such his Office and from the discharge of the duties thereof PROVIDED that in every such case the said Governor shall immediately report for Our information through one of Our Principal Secretaries of State the grounds and causes of such suspension, And provided also that a full statement be entered on the Minutes of the said Executive Council of the Grounds of such Proceeding and of the Evidence upon which the same may be founded a full Copy of which Minutes and Evidence shall by such Governor be transmitted to such Judge together with the Order suspending him from such his Office, AND WE DO hereby reserve to Us Our Heirs and Successors with the advice of Our or Their Privy Council full power and authority to confirm or to disallow any such suspension from office as aforesaid of any such Chief Justice or Puisne Justice.

9. AND WE DO hereby give and grant to Our said Chief Justice for the time being rank and precedence above and before all Our Subjects whomsoever within the said Island and its Dependencies excepting the Governor or Lieutenant Governor for the time being thereof and excepting such persons as by Law or Usage in England take place before our Chief Justice of Our Court of King's Bench.

10. AND WE DO hereby give and grant to the said Puisne Justices for the time being rank and precedence above and before all Our Subjects whomsoever within the said Island and its Dependencies excepting the Governor or Lieutenant Governor for the time being thereof the said Chief Justice and the Officer for the time being Commanding Our Forces in the said Island and its Dependencies and excepting such persons as by Law or Usage in England take place before Our Puisne Justices of Our Court of King's Bench, AND WE DO hereby declare that the said Puisne Justices shall take rank and precedence between themselves according to the priority of their Appointments respectively.

11. AND WE DO further grant direct ordain and appoint that the said Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon shall have and use as occasion may require a Seal bearing a Device and Impression of Our Royal Arms with an Exergue or Label surrounding the same with this Inscription "THE SEAL OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON," AND that the said Seal shall be de-

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livered to and shall be kept in the custody of the said Chief Justice with full liberty to deliver the same to any Puisne Justice of the said Court for any temporary purpose and in case of the Vacancy of or suspension from the Office of the Chief Justice the same shall be delivered over to and kept in the custody of such person as shall be appointed by the said Governor of the said Island to act as and in the place and stead of the Chief Justice.

12. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that no such Chief Justice or Puisne Justice as aforesaid shall be capable of accepting taking or performing any other Office Place of Profit or Emolument within the said Island on Pain that the Acceptance of such other Office as aforesaid shall be ipso facto an avoidance of such his Office of Chief Justice or Puisne Justice as the case may be and the Salary thereof shall cease accordingly from the time of such acceptance of any other Office or Place PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that no such Chief Justice or Puisne Justice shall be rendered incapable of holding his Office or shall forfeit his Salary by accepting the Office of Judge of the Court of Vice Admiralty in the said Island or of Commissioner for the Trial and Adjudication of Prize Causes and other Maritime Questions arising in India.

13. AND WE DO hereby constitute and appoint Our Trusty and Wellbeloved SIR CHARLES MARSHALL Knight to be the first Chief Justice of the said Supreme Court and Our Trusty and Wellbeloved WILLIAM ROUGH Esquire Serjeant at Law to be the Senior PUISNE JUSTICE of the said Supreme Court and Our Trusty and Wellbeloved WILLIAM NORRIS Esquire to be the Second PUISNE JUSTICE of the said Supreme Court.

14. AND WE DO hereby direct ordain appoint and declare that there shall be attached and belong to the said Court an Officer to be styled the REGISTER AND KEEPER OF RECORDS of the said Court and such and so many other Officers as to Our Chief Justice of the said Court for the time being from time to time appear to be necessary for the Administration of Justice and the due execution of the Powers and Authorities which are granted and committed to the said Court by these Our Letters Patent, PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that no Office shall be created in the said Court unless the Governor of the said Island for the time being shall first signify his approbation thereof to the said Chief Justice for the time being in writing under the Hand of such Governor.

15. AND WE DO further direct and declare Our will to be that all the subordinate Officers of the said Court shall be appointed to such their Offices by Us or by the Governor of the said Island on Our behalf by Commissions to be for that purpose used under the Public Seal of the said Island PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that all persons who shall be attached to or hold any Office in the said Court as Clerk or Private Secretary to any of the Judges thereof shall be appointed to such Office by the Judge for the time being whom such person may so serve in any such capacity.

16. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that the several Officers of the said Supreme Court shall hold their respective Offices

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during the pleasure of Us Our Heirs and Successors and shall be subject to be suspended from their Offices therein by the said Court for misconduct or other sufficient cause.

17. AND WE DO hereby authorise and empower the said Supreme Court to admit and enrol as Advocates or Proctors in the said Supreme Court all such persons being of good repute as shall upon examination by one or more of the said Justices of the said Supreme Court appear to be of competent knowledge and ability PROVIDED ALWAYS that whenever the said Supreme Court shall refuse to admit and enrol any person applying to be admitted and enrolled as an Advocate or Proctor in the said Supreme Court the Judges of the said Court shall in open Court assign and declare the reasons of refusal. AND WE DO direct and declare that no persons whatsoever not so admitted and enrolled as aforesaid shall be allowed to appear plead or act in the said Supreme Court for or on behalf of any other person being a Suitor in the said Court.

18. AND WE DO further declare Our Pleasure to be and do hereby ordain and appoint that for the purpose of the Administration of Justice under this Our Charter the said Island of Ceylon shall be divided into the District of Colombo and three Circuits to be called respectively THE NORTHERN CIRCUIT THE SOUTHERN CIRCUIT and THE EASTERN CIRCUIT and that the said Northern Circuit shall comprize the District of Jaffna together with the several Districts which are parcel of the Maritime Provinces of the said Island and which lie to the Westward of the Kandyan Provinces of the said Island between the said District of Jaffna and the District of Colombo, and that the said Southern Circuit shall comprize the District of the Mahagampattoo and all the Districts parcel of the Maritime Provinces of the said Island lying to the Westward and Southward of the Kandyan Provinces of the said Island between the District of the Mahagampattoo and the District of Colombo and that the said Eastern Circuit shall comprize all the Kandyan Provinces of the said Island and all the Districts parcel of the Maritime Provinces of the said Island lying to the Eastward of the Kandyan Provinces of the said Island between the District of Jaffna and the District of Mahagampattoo PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that it shall be lawful for the Governor for the time being of Our said Island on any application to him for that purpose made in writing under the Hands of the Judges for the time being of the said Supreme Court or the major part of them but not otherwise by any Proclamation or Proclamations to be from time to time for that purpose issued to alter as occasion may require the before mentioned Division of the said Island as aforesaid and to establish any other Division or Divisions thereof for that purpose which may appear to the said Governor and the whole or the major part of such Judges more conducive to the public convenience and the effective Administration of Justice in the said Island.

19. AND WE hereby authorise and require the Governor for the time being of Our said Island with the concurrence of the Judges of the said Supreme Court or the major part of them but not

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otherwise by any Proclamation or Proclamations to be by him for that purpose from time to time issued to subdivide into Districts each of the Circuits into which the said Island exclusive of the District of Colombo is or shall be in manner aforesaid divided and from time to time with the like concurrence but not otherwise to revoke alter and amend any such Proclamation or Proclamations as occasion may require and which Appointment of the said Circuits and Districts shall be made in such a manner as may best consist with and promote the prompt and effectual administration of Justice therein as herein after mentioned. PROVIDED ALWAYS that until the said Circuits shall in manner aforesaid be divided into Districts in pursuance of this our Charter the existing divisions of our said Island comprized within the respective limits of the said Circuits respectively shall for the purposes hereof be deemed and taken to be such Districts as aforesaid.

20. AND WE DO further grant direct and appoint that within each and every District of the said Island there shall be one Court to be called THE DISTRICT COURT of such District. And that every such District Court shall be holden by and before one Judge to be called the District Judge and three Assessors, And that every such District Judge shall be appointed to such his Office by Letters Patent to be for that purpose issued under the Public Seal of the said Island by the Governor thereof for the time being in pursuance of Warrants to be for that purpose addressed to him by Us Our Heirs and Successors PROVIDED that such Governor may and he is hereby authorised and required to issue such Letters Patent as aforesaid provisionally and subject to the future signification of the pleasure of Us Our Heirs and Successors and without any such Warrant or Warrants as aforesaid on any occasions on which it may be necessary to make any such appointment or appointments before the pleasure of Us Our Heirs and Successors can be known. AND WE DO hereby declare that the said District Judges respectively shall hold such their Offices during the pleasure of Us Our Heirs and Successors.

21. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that the before mentioned Assessors shall be selected from amongst Our subjects inhabiting the said Island whether Natives thereof or otherwise and being respectively men of the full age of Twenty One years and upwards and possessing such Qualifications as shall from time to time be determined by any Rules and Orders of Court to be made in the manner hereinafter mentioned and not having been convicted of any infamous Crime nor labouring under any such bodily or mental incapacity as would render them unfit for the discharge of that Office, AND WE DO hereby reserve to Ourselves Our Heirs and Successors the right of appointing in each of the said District Courts one Person to act as a Permanent Assessor, but in respect of all Assessors until any such appointment shall be made and after any such appointment shall be made in respect of all Assessors not so appointed it is Our pleasure and We do hereby direct and declare that they shall be selected summoned and required to serve in the said Office in such manner as shall be provided by such Rules and Orders of Court as are herein after particularly mentioned.

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22. AND WE DO hereby further direct that the Ministerial and other Subordinate Officers of the said District Courts respectively shall respectively be appointed to and shall hold such their Offices therein in such and the like manner in every respect as is hereinbefore provided with regard to the Ministerial and other Officers of the said Supreme Court and that the Admission and Enrolment of Persons to appear plead or act in any of the said District Courts as Advocates or Proctors shall be regulated and provided for by such general Rules and Orders of Court as are hereinafter mentioned.

23. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that the said Supreme Court shall be holden at Colombo in the said Island excepting for the purpose of such Circuits as are hereinafter mentioned and that every such District Court as aforesaid shall be holden at such convenient place within every such District as the Governor for the time being of Our said Island shall from time to time for that purpose appoint by any Proclamation or Proclamations to be by him in manner aforesaid issued for such Division as aforesaid of the said Island into Districts.

24. AND WE DO further grant direct and appoint that each of the said District Courts shall be a Court of Civil Jurisdiction and shall have cognizance of and full Power to hear and determine all Pleas Suits and Actions in which the Party or Parties Defendant shall be resident within the District in which any such Suit or Action shall be brought or in which the Act Matter or thing in respect of which any such Suit or Action shall be brought shall have been done or performed within such District. PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that no such District Court as aforesaid shall be competent to hold Jurisdiction of or to hear or to determine any Cause Suit or Action wherein the Judge of such Court shall himself be a Party Plaintiff or Defendant but that every Cause Suit or Action which according to the Provisions aforesaid would have been cognizable in any District Court if the Judge of such Court had not been a Party thereto shall in that case be cognizable in the Court of any District immediately adjoining.

25. AND WE DO further grant direct and appoint that each of the said District Courts shall be a Court of Criminal Jurisdiction and shall have full power and authority to enquire of all Crimes and Offences committed wholly or in part within the District to which such Court may belong and to hear try and determine all Prosecutions which shall be commenced against any Person or Persons for or in respect of any such Crimes or Offences or alleged Crimes or Offences. PROVIDED ALWAYS that such Criminal Jurisdiction as aforesaid shall not extend to any Case in which the Person or Persons accused shall be charged with any Crime which according to any Law now or hereafter to be enforced within Our said Island shall be punishable with Death or Transportation or Banishment or Imprisonment for more than twelve Calendar Months or by Whipping exceeding One hundred lashes or by Fine exceeding Ten Pounds.

26. AND WE DO further grant direct and appoint that each of the said District Courts shall have the care and custody of the

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Persons and Estates of all Idiots and Lunatics and others of insane or nonsane mind resident within such Districts respectively with full power to appoint Guardians and Curators of all such Persons and their Estates and to make order for the maintenance of such Persons and the proper management of their Estates and to take Proper Securities for such management from such Guardians and Curators and to call them to account and to charge them with any Balance which may be due to any such Persons as aforesaid or to their Estates and to enforce the payment thereof and to take order for the secure Investment of any such Balances and such Guardians and Curators from time to time to remove and replace as occasion may require.

27. AND WE DO further give and grant to the said District Courts respectively in their said respective Districts full power and authority to appoint Administrators of the Estates and Effects of any Persons dying within such respective Districts Intestate or who may not have by any Last Will or Testament appointed any Executor or Trustee for the Administration or execution thereof and like power and authority to enquire into and determine upon the validity of any Document or Documents adduced before them as and for the Last Will and Testament of any Person who may have died within such Districts respectively and to record the same and to grant Probate thereof with like Power and Authority to appoint Administrators for the Administration or execution of the trusts of any such Last Will or Testament as aforesaid in cases where the Executors or Trustees thereby appointed shall not appear and take out Probate thereof or having appeared and taken out such Probate shall by Death or otherwise become incapable to carry any such trusts fully into execution. AND WE DO further authorise and empower the said District Courts in their said respective Districts to take proper Securities from all Executors and Administrators of the Last Wills and Testaments of any deceased Persons or of the Estates and Effects of any Persons who may have died intestate for the faithful performance of such trusts and for the proper accounting to such Courts respectively for what may come to their Hands or be by them expended in the execution thereof with like power and authority to call all such Executors and Administrators to account and to charge them with any Balances which may be due to the Estates of any such deceased Persons and to enforce the payment thereof and to take order for the secure investment of any such Balances, and such Executors and Administrators from time to time to remove and replace as occasion may require.

28. AND WHEREAS doubts might arise whether by virtue of the provisions aforesaid and without an express authority in that behalf the said District Courts would be competent to entertain Suits therein brought for the protection of Our Revenue and for the punishment of offences committed against the Revenue Laws of Our said Island. NOW THEREFORE for the removal of any such doubts We do hereby expressly declare that all Causes affecting Our Revenue arising within Our said Island and all Prosecutions for the punishment of Offences committed against the Revenue

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Laws thereof shall be cognizable within the said District Courts respectively in such and the same manner as any other suits or prosecutions SAVING NEVERTHELESS and reserving to all Courts of Vice Admiralty established or to be established within Our said Island all such rights powers jurisdictions and authority as are by Law vested in them as fully as if this Our Charter had not been made. PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that no such Prosecution for any Offence committed against the Revenue Laws shall be cognizable within any such District Court in cases where the Punishment may be of greater degree or amount than such District Court can under the provisions aforesaid award upon Prosecutions for any other Offences.

29. AND WE DO further grant and declare that the several Jurisdictions so vested as aforesaid in the said District Courts is and shall be an exclusive Jurisdiction and shall not on any Plea or Pretext whatsoever be assumed or exercised by any other Court Tribunal or Judge within Our said Island save and except in so far as cognizance of the same Suits Causes, Actions, Prosecutions, Matters and Things is hereinafter expressly given by way of Appeal to the Supreme Court aforesaid or to the respective Judges thereof And also save and except in so far as an Original Jurisdiction in certain Suits Causes Actions Prosecutions Matters and Things is hereinafter vested in the said Supreme Court or in the respective Judges thereof And also save and except in as far as respects the Jurisdiction of the Court of Vice Admiralty in the said Island.

30. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that every final Sentence or Judgement of the said District Courts respectively and that every interlocutory Order of the said Courts having the effect of a final Sentence or Judgment and that every Order of any such Court having the effect of postponing the final decision of any Cause or Prosecution there pending and any other Order which to the Judge of any such Court may appear of adequate importance shall by such Judge be pronounced in Open Court. And that such Judge shall in all such cases state in the presence and hearing of the Assessor before mentioned what are the Questions of Law and of fact which have arisen for Adjudication and which are to be decided upon any such occasion together with his Opinion upon every such Question with the grounds and reasons of every such Opinion. And that every such Assessor shall also in Open Court and in the presence and hearing of the Judge and the other Assessors declare his Opinion and deliver his vote upon each and every Question which the Judge shall have previously declared to have arisen for adjudication whether such questions shall relate to any matter of Law or to any matter of fact PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that in case of any difference of Opinion between any Judge and the majority or the whole of such Assessors upon any question of Law or of fact depending before any such District Court the Opinion of such Judge shall prevail and shall be taken as the Sentence Judgment or Order of the whole Court but in every such Case a Record shall be made and preserved among the Records of the said Court of the Questions declared by the Judge

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to have arisen for adjudication and of the Vote of such Judge and of every such Assessor upon each such question.

31. AND WE DO hereby grant declare direct and appoint that the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon shall be a Court of Appellate Jurisdiction for the correction of all Errors in fact or in Law which shall be committed by the said respective District Courts and shall have sole and exclusive cognizance by way of Appeal of all Causes, Suits, Actions, Prosecutions, Matters, and Things of which such District Courts may, in pursuance of the Provisions of this Our Charter or any of them take cognizance by way of Original jurisdiction. AND WE DO further grant to the said Supreme Court power jurisdiction and authority to hold an Original jurisdiction for enquiring of all Crimes and Offences committed throughout the said Island and for the hearing trying and determining all Prosecutions which shall be commenced against any Person or Persons for or in respect of any such Crimes or Offences or alleged Crimes or Offences AND TO PROVIDE for the due execution of the powers and authorities and jurisdictions so vested as aforesaid in the said Supreme Court It is Our further pleasure And We do direct ordain and appoint that Civil and Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court shall be holden by some one of the Judges thereof in each of the Circuits into which Our said Island is or shall be so divided as aforesaid.

32. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that such Sessions as aforesaid of the said Supreme Court shall be holden twice in each year within the Northern, Southern, and Eastern Circuits of the said Island respectively hereinbefore described or referred to at such places within such respective Circuits and at such particular times in each Year as the Governor for the time being of Our said Island shall after previous consultation with the Judges of the said Supreme Court by Proclamations to be by him from time to time for that purpose issued direct and appoint. PROVIDED ALWAYS that the times and places for holding such Civil and Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court on such Circuits shall be so arranged as that all the Judges of the said Supreme Court shall never at the same time be absent from Colombo and that all such Judges shall be resident at the same time at Colombo not less than one month twice in each Year. AND WE DO direct and appoint that the Chief Justice of the said Court shall first choose the Circuit on which he will proceed for the purposes aforesaid and that the second choice shall be made by the Senior Puisne Judge for the time being.

33. AND WE DO further direct ordain and appoint that at every Civil Sessions of the Supreme Court to be holden on any such Circuit as aforesaid three Assessors shall be associated with the Judge and that every Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court to be holden on any such Circuit shall be holden before such Judge and a Jury of Thirteen Men which Assessors and Jurors shall be selected summoned and required to appear and serve in such manner and form as shall be provided by such general Rules and Orders of Court as hereinafter mentioned.

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34. AND WE DO Will Ordain and Appoint that within each and every of the said Circuits respectively all and every the Appellate Powers Jurisdictions and Authorities hereby vested in the said Supreme Court shall be exercised by the Judge for the time being of such Circuit and the Assessors so to be associated with him as aforesaid and that within each and every of the said Circuits respectively all and every the original powers, jurisdictions and authorities hereby vested in the said Supreme Court shall be exercised by the Judge for the time being of such Circuit who upon the Trial of any Crimes made Cognigable by the said Supreme Court by way of such Original Jurisdiction as aforesaid shall be associated with such Jurors as aforesaid.

35. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that at every Civil Sessions of the said Supreme Court so to be holden as aforesaid on every such Circuit the said Court shall proceed to hear and determine all Appeals which may be then depending from any Sentence Judgment Decree or order of any District Court within the limits of such Circuit and to affirm reverse correct alter and vary every such Sentence Judgment Decree or Order according to Law and if necessary to remand to the District Court for a further hearing or the admission of any further Evidence any Cause Suit or Action in which any such Appeal as aforesaid shall have been brought and upon hearing every such Appeal it shall also be competent to the said Supreme Court to receive and admit or to exclude and reject new evidence touching the matters at issue in any such Original Cause Suit or Action as Justice may require.

36. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that the Supreme Court aforesaid at any Civil Sessions to be holden on any such Circuit as aforesaid shall have full power and authority to grant and issue Mandates in the nature of Writs of Mandamus Procedendo and Prohibition against any District Court within the limits of such Circuit and to make order for the transfer of any Cause Suit or Action depending in any one District Court in such Circuit to any other District Court within the same Circuit if it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the said Supreme Court at any such Civil Session as aforesaid that there is any sufficient cause or reason to conclude that in such particular Cause Suit or Action Justice would not probably be done in the District Court in which the same had so been commenced And in every such case the District Court to which any such Cause Suit or Action shall be so transferred shall take Cognizance thereof and have power and Jurisdiction for the hearing trial and decision of the same as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes as the District Court in which the same was originally brought could or might have had.

37. AND WE DO further direct declare and appoint that the Judge of the Supreme Court holding any such Civil Sessions thereof as aforesaid on any such Circuit shall in Open Court state and declare in the presence and hearing of the Assessors beforementioned what are the Questions of Law and of Fact arising for adjudication upon every Appeal brought before the said Supreme Court at such Sessions and which are then to be decided and shall then pro-

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nounce his opinion upon every such Question with the grounds and reasons of every such opinion, and that every such Assessor shall thereupon also in Open Court and in the presence and hearing of such Judge and the other Assessors declare his Opinion and deliver his Vote upon such and every Question which the Judge shall have previously declared to have arisen for Adjudication whether such Question shall relate to any matter of Law or to any matter of Fact. And in case of any difference of Opinion between any such Judge and the majority or the whole of such Assessors upon any Question of Law or of Fact depending upon such Appeal, the Opinion of such Judge shall prevail and shall be taken as the Sentence Judgment or Order of the whole Court but in every such case a Record shall be made and preserved among the Records of the said Supreme Court, of the Questions declared by the Judge to have arisen for Adjudication and of the Vote of such Judge and of every such Assessor upon every such Question.

38. AND WE DO further direct ordain and appoint that at every Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court to be holden on any such Circuit as aforesaid such Court shall proceed to hear and determine all Appeals which may be then depending from any Sentence or Judgment pronounced by any District Court within the limits of any such Circuit in any Criminal Prosecution and to affirm reverse correct alter and vary every such Sentence and Judgment acording to Law. And upon hearing every such Appeal it shall also be competent to the said Supreme Court to receive and admit or to exclude and reject new Evidence touching the Matters at Issue in any such original prosecution as Justice may require, AND it shall also be lawful for the said Supreme Court at any such Criminal Sessions as aforesaid to make Order for the Transfer of any prosecution depending in any one District Court in such Circuit to any other District Court within the same Circuit if it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the said Supreme Court at any such Criminal Session as aforesaid that there is any sufficient cause or reason to conclude that in such particular Prosecutions Justice would not probably be done in the District Court in which the same had been so commenced, And in every such case the District Court to which any such Prosecution shall be so transferred shall take Cognizance thereof and shall have power and Jurisdiction for the Hearing Trial and Decision of the same as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as the District Court in which the same was originally brought could or might have had.

39. AND WE DO further declare and ordain that notwithstanding the right of Appeal hereby given from the Judgments and Sentences of the said District Courts upon such Criminal Prosecutions as aforesaid no such Appeal shall have the effect of staying the execution of any Sentence or Judgment pronounced by any such District Court upon any Prosecution unless the Judge of such District Court shall in the exercise of his discretion see fit to make order for the stay of any such Execution pending such Appeal.

40. AND WE DO further direct ordain and appoint that at every Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court so to be holden as

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aforesaid on every such Circuit the said Supreme Court shall inquire of all Crimes and Offences committed within the Limits of any such Circuit for the Trial of which such original Jurisdiction as aforesaid is by this Our Charter vested in the said Supreme Court and which the King's Advocate or Deputy King's Advocate shall elect to prosecute before such Supreme Court and shall hear try and determine all Prosecutions which shall be commenced by the said King's Advocate or Deputy King's Advocate against any Person or Persons for or in respect of any such Crimes or Offences or alleged Crimes or Offences.

41. AND WE DO further direct and ordain that all Crimes and Offences Cognizable before any of the Courts constituted by these presents or deriving authority from the same shall be prosecuted and that all Fines Penalties and Forfeitures recoverable therein to Our use shall be sued for and recovered in the Name of Our Advocate Fiscal of Our said Island and by him or by some Deputy Advocate Fiscal by an Information to be exhibited without the Previous finding of any Inquest by any Grand Jury or otherwise. PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that it shall be competent to the said Supreme Court by such Rules and Orders of Court as after mentioned to make any other and more convenient Provision for the prosecuting before the said District Courts Breaches of the Peace Petty Assaults and other Minor Offences of the like nature.

42. AND WE DO further direct and ordain that all Questions of Fact upon which Issue shall be joined at any such Criminal Sessions as aforesaid of the said Supreme Court on any such Circuit as aforesaid shall be decided by such Jury of thirteen Men as aforesaid. And that the Verdict of such Jury shall be pronounced in Open Court by the Mouth of the Foreman, and that if such Jury shall not agree upon their Verdict, then the Verdict of the major part of such Jury shall be received and taken as the Verdict of the Jury collectively.

43. AND WE DO further direct and ordain, that all Questions of Law which shall arise for adjudication at any such Criminal Sessions as aforesaid, of the said Supreme Court, in any such Circuit as aforesaid, shall be decided by the Judge presiding at such Sessions, who shall pronounce his Judgment thereupon in Open Court, and assign the Grounds and Reasons of such Judgment SAVING NEVERTHELESS to every such Judge the Right of reserving such Questions for the decision of the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively, at their General Sessions in manner hereinafter mentioned.

44. AND WE DO further appoint, declare, and direct, that in every case where any Person shall be adjudged to die by any Sentence of the Supreme Court of Our said Island at any such Criminal Sessions as aforesaid, the Execution of such Sentence shall be respited until the Case of such Person shall have been Reported by the Chief Justice or Puisne Justice, who shall have presided at such Trial, to the Governor of the said Island for the time being, which Report shall be made as soon after the passing of such Sentence as conveniently may be.

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45. AND WE DO further appoint, declare, and direct, that the Judge on any such Circuit as aforesaid, holding the said Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court, shall, and may Issue his Mandate under his Hand and directed to all and every of the Fiscals or other Keepers of Prisons within the Limits of his Circuit to Certify to the said Judge the several persons then and there in any of their custody committed for and charged with any Crimes or Offences whatsoever and the said Fiscals or other Keepers of Prisons shall and are hereby required to make certify and transmit due Returns to such Mandate by specifying in a Calendar or List to be annexed to such Mandate respectively the time and times when all and every of the said Persons so in their custody was or were committed and by whose Authority particularly and on what Charge or Charges Crime or Crimes respectively in writing And to the said List or Calendar shall also be annexed such Information or Informations upon Oath as may have been taken against them or any of them and be then remaining in the Hands of the said Fiscals or Keepers of Prisons, or true Copies thereof attested by the said Fiscals or Keepers of Prisons respectively And if need be according to the tenor and exigency of such Mandate such Fiscals or Keepers of Prisons shall bring the said persons so in their custody or any of them before the said Judge wheresoever the said Judge shall then be holding the Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court, together with such witness or witnesses, whose Name or Names shall appear to be written or endorsed on the respective Commitments, by virtue of which such Prisoners or Prisoner, were or was delivered into their custody respectively, in order that such Prisoners or Prisoner may be dealt with according to Law PROVIDED ALWAYS that wherever any Party or Parties shall after the making out of any such Calendar or List, and while such Judge shall be holding the Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court in the Town or Place wherein such Calendar or List was delivered be apprehended or committed on any Criminal Charge it shall and may be lawful for the Officer of such Supreme Court, to insert the Name or Names of such Person or Persons in such Calendar or List.

46. AND WE DO further direct, declare, and appoint, that any Judge of the Supreme Court remaining at Colombo shall within the Limits of the District of Colombo, exercise the same Jurisdiction and hold such and the same Civil and Criminal Sessions as the said Judges of the Supreme Court are, by these Presents, directed, appointed, and ordained, to exercise and to hold on their respective Circuits, within the Limits of their respective Circuits.

47. AND WE DO further ordain and appoint that whenever any Question of Law Pleading Evidence or Practice shall arise for Adjudication at any Civil or Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court at any such Circuit as aforesaid or within the said District of Colombo which shall appear to the Judge presiding at such Sessions to be a Question of doubt and difficulty it shall be lawful for such Judge to reserve such Question of Law Pleading Evidence or Practice for the decision of the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively and to report any Question so

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reserved to the said Judges at some General Sessions of the said Supreme Court to be held for that purpose as hereinafter mentioned AND WE DO further direct and appoint that the Judges of the said Supreme Court shall from time to time as occasion may require collectively hold a General Sessions at Colombo to hear and inquire of any Questions of Law Pleading Evidence or Practice so reserved as aforesaid and to decide the same according to Law.

48. AND WE further authorize and require the respective Judges of the said Supreme Court on such Circuits as aforesaid and at the Sessions so to be holden for the district of Colombo to inspect and examine the Records of the different District Courts And if it shall appear to them that contradictory or inconsistent decisions have been given by different District Courts or by the same District Court upon different occasions upon any matters of Law, Evidence, Pleading or Practice, then and in every such Case, the said Judges of the Supreme Court shall report to the Judges of the Supreme Court at Colombo at such General Sessions as aforesaid any such contradictions or inconsistencies and the said Judges of the Supreme Court shall after due consideration of the matters so brought before them prepare the draft of such a declaratory Law upon any matter of Law or Evidence in respect to which such contradictory or inconsistent decisions shall have been given, as the occasion shall appear to them to require, and shall transmit such draft under the Seal of the said Court to the Governor for the time being of our said Island who shall thereupon lay the draft of such declaratory Law before the Legislative Council of the said Island for their consideration. AND WE further direct and ordain that the said Judges of the Supreme Court shall in pursuance of the Powers hereinafter vested in them after due consideration of any Reports so to be made as aforesaid, by any such Judge of any such contradiction or inconsistency as aforesaid in any matter of Pleading or Practice make or establish such General Rules or Orders of Court for the removal of any doubts respecting any such matters as the occasion shall appear to them to require.

49. AND WE DO further ordain and appoint that the said Supreme Court or any Judge thereof at any Sessions so to be holden as aforesaid on any such Circuit as aforesaid or in the District of Colombo or at any General Sessions of the Judges of the said Court collectively shall be and are hereby authorized to grant and issue Mandates in the nature of Writs of Habeas Corpus and to grant or refuse such Mandates to bring up the Body of any Person who shall be imprisoned within any part of the said Island or its Dependencies and to discharge or remand any Person so brought up or otherwise deal with such Person according to Law. AND WE DO further direct and appoint that the said Supreme Court or any Judge thereof at any Sessions so to be holden on any such Circuit as aforesaid or in the District of Colombo or at any General Sessions of the said Court collectively shall be and they and he are and is hereby authorized to grant and issue Injunctions to prevent any irremedi-

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ble Mischief which might ensue before the party making application for such Injunction could prevent the same by bringing an Action in any District Court PROVIDED ALWAYS that it shall not be lawful for the said Supreme Court nor for any Judge thereof in any case to grant an Injunction to prevent any Person from suing or prosecuting a Suit in any District Court or to prevent any Party to any Suit, in any District Court from appealing or prosecuting an appeal to any Court of Appeal, or to prevent any Party to any Suit in any Court of Original Jurisdiction, or in any Court of Appeal, from insisting upon any Ground of Action Defence or Appeal.

50. AND WHEREAS it may be expedient that the Judges of the said Supreme Court of Colombo, previously to the commencement of any such Circuits as aforesaid should be enabled to inspect and examine the Records of the said District Courts, in cases upon which Appeals may have been entered. And it may also be convenient that with the consent of the litigant Parties, the Hearing of such Appeals should take place before the Judges of the said Court collectively at their General Sessions at Colombo and not at such Circuits as aforesaid. And it may also be convenient that in certain Cases the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively, at such General Sessions, should be authorized to decide in a summary way and without further argument Questions arising upon any such Appeals WE DO THEREFORE further will direct ordain and appoint, that it shall be lawful for the Judges of the said Supreme Court by such General Rules and Orders as hereinafter mentioned to require the said District Courts to transmit to them at Colombo the Records of such District Courts in any Cases upon which Appeals may have been entered AND WE DO authorize and empower the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively at any such General Sessions as aforesaid, with the consent of all the litigant Parties but not otherwise (save as hereinafter provided in cases appealed to Us in Our Privy Council) to hear any such Appeals or to decide the same or any particular Question or Questions arising thereupon in a summary way and without further Argument and to remit any such Records with such their final decision thereupon to such District Courts to be by them carried into execution.

51. AND WHEREAS for carrying into effect the various Provisions of this Present Charter and for the more prompt and effectual Administration of Justice in Our said Island, it is necessary that Regulations should be made respecting the course and manner of proceeding to be observed and followed in all Suits Actions and Criminal Prosecutions and other Proceedings whatsoever to be brought commenced had or taken within the said District Courts and the said Supreme Court respectively which Regulations cannot be properly made except by the Judges of the said Supreme Court. WE DO therefore hereby further declare Our Pleasure to be, and do will ordain direct and appoint that it shall be lawful for the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively at any General Sessions to be by them holden at Colombo as aforesaid from time to time to frame constitute and establish such General Rules and

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Orders of Court as to them shall seem meet touching and concerning the time and place of holding any General Sessions of the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively and any Civil or Criminal Sessions of the said Supreme Court on any such Circuits as aforesaid or in the District of Colombo and the said several District Courts as shall not be inconsistent with the Authority hereinbefore granted to the Governor of Our said Island respecting the appointing of the times at which and the Places to which the Judges of the said Supreme Court shall perform their Circuits together with such General Rules and Orders as to them shall seem meet and touching and concerning the form and manner of proceeding to be observed in the said Supreme Court at any General Sessions, and at such Civil and Criminal Sessions as aforesaid, on such Circuit as aforesaid or in the District of Colombo and in such District Courts respectively and touching and concerning the Practice and Pleadings upon all Actions Suits and other matters both Civil and Criminal to be therein brought the Proceedings of the Fiscals and other Ministerial Officers of the said Courts respectively the Process of the said Courts and the mode of executing the same the qualifications summoning impannelling and challenging of Assessors and the summoning impannelling and challenging of Jurors Arrest on Mesne Process or in Execution the taking of Bail the duties of Jailors and others charged with the Custody of Prisoners in so far as respects the making due Returns to the respective Judges of the said Supreme Court, of all Prisoners in their Custody and respecting the mode of Prosecuting such Appeals as aforesaid from the said District Courts the admission of Advocates and Proctors in the said Courts respectively together with all such General Rules and Orders as may be necessary for giving full and complete effect to the Provisions of this present Charter in whatsoever respects the form and manner of administering Justice in the several Courts hereby constituted and all such Rules Orders and Regulations from time to time to revoke alter amend or renew as occasion may require. PROVIDED ALWAYS that no such Rules Orders or Regulations shall be repugnant to this Our Charter. And that the same shall be so framed as to promote as far as may be the discovery of Truth and Economy and Expedition in the despatch of the business of the said several Courts respectively. And that the same be drawn up in plain succinct and compendious terms avoiding all unnecessary repetitions and obscurity and promulgated in the most public and authentic manner in the said Island as long before the same shall operate and take effect as to such Judges may appear practicable and convenient. And PROVIDED ALWAYS that all such Rules, Orders and Regulations shall forthwith be transmitted to Us Our Heirs and Successors under the Seal of the said Court for Our or Their approbation or disallowance.

52. AND WE DO further grant ordain direct and appoint that it shall be lawful for any Person or Persons being a Party or Parties to any Civil Suit or Action depending in the said Supreme Court to Appeal to Us Our Heirs and Successors in Our or Their Privy Council against any final Judgment Decree or Sen-

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tence or against any Rule or Order made in any such Civil Suit or Action and having the effect of a final or definitive Sentence and which Appeals shall be made subject to the Rules and Limitations following FIRST—That before any such Appeal shall be so brought such Judgment Decree Sentence Rule or Order shall be brought by way of Review before the Judges of the said Supreme Court collectively holding a General Sessions at Colombo at which all the said Judges of the said Supreme Court shall be present and assisting which Judges shall by such Rules and Orders as aforesaid, regulate the form and manner of Proceeding to be observed in bringing every such Judgment Decree Sentence Rule or Order by way of Review before them, and shall thereupon pronounce Judgment according to Law, the Judgment of the majority of which Judges shall be taken and recorded as the Judgment of the said Court collectively. SECONDLY—Every such Judgment Decree Order or Sentence from which such an Appeal shall be admitted to Us Our Heirs and Successors as aforesaid shall be given or pronounced for or in respect of a Sum or matter at issue above the amount or value of Five Hundred Pounds Sterling or shall involve directly or indirectly the Title to Property or to some Civil Right exceeding the value of Five Hundred Pounds Sterling THIRDLY—The Person or Persons feeling aggrieved by such Judgment Decree Order or Sentence shall within fourteen days next after the same shall have been pronounced made or given apply to the said Supreme Court at such General Sessions as aforesaid by Petition for leave to Appeal therefrom to Us Our Heirs and Successors in Our or Their Privy Council FOURTHLY—If such leave to Appeal shall be prayed by the Party or Parties who is or are adjudged to pay any Sum of Money or to perform any Duty the said Supreme Court shall direct that the Judgment, Decree, or Sentence Appealed from shall be carried into Execution if the Party or Parties Respondent shall give Security for the immediate performance of any Judgment Decree or Sentence which may be pronounced or made by Us Our Heirs and Successors in Our or Their Privy Council upon any such Appeal and until such Security be given the Execution of the Judgment Decree Order or Sentence Appealed from shall be stayed FIFTHLY—Provided Nevertheless that if the Party or Parties Appellant shall establish to the satisfaction of the said Supreme Court that real & substantial Justice requires that pending such Appeals Execution should be stayed it shall be lawful for such Supreme Court to order the execution of such Judgment Decree Order or Sentence to be stayed pending such Appeal if the Party or Parties Appellant shall give Security for the immediate performance of any Judgment Decree or Sentence which may be pronounced or made by Us Our Heirs or Successors, in Our or Their Privy Council, upon any such Appeal. SIXTHLY—In all cases Security shall also be given by the Party or Parties Appellant for the prosecution of the Appeal and for the payment of all such Costs as may be awarded by Us Our Heirs and Successors to the Party or Parties Respondent. SEVENTHLY—The Court from which any such Appeal as aforesaid shall be brought shall subject to the Condition hereinafter mentioned de-

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termine the nature amount and sufficiency of the several securities so to be taken as aforesaid. EIGHTLY—Provided nevertheless that in any case where the subject of litigation shall consist of immoveable property and the Judgment Decree Order or Sentence appealed from shall not change affect or relate to the actual occupation thereof no security shall be demanded either from the Party or Parties Respondent or from the Party or Parties Appellant for the performance of the Judgment or Sentence to be pronounced or made upon such Appeal, but if such Judgment Decree Order or Sentence shall change affect or relate to the occupation of any such Property then such security shall not be of greater amount than may be necessary to secure the restitution free from all damage or loss of such Property or of the intermediate Profit which pending any such Appeal may probably accrue from the intermediate occupation thereof. NINTHLY—In any case where the subject of litigation shall consist of Money or other Chattles or of any Personal Debt or Demand the Security to be demanded either from the Party or Parties Respondent or from the Party or Parties Appellant for the performance of the Judgment or Sentence to be pronounced or made upon such Appeal shall be either a Bond to be entered into in the amount of value of such subject of litigation by one or more sufficient Surety or Sureties or such Security shall be given by way of mortgage or voluntary condemnation of or upon some immoveable Property situate and being within such Island and being of the full value of such subject of litigation over and above the amount of all mortgages and charges of whatever nature upon or affecting the same. TENTHLY—The Security to be given by the Party or Parties Appellant for the prosecution of the Appeal and for the payment of costs shall in no case exceed the sum of Three Hundred Pounds Sterling and shall be given either by such Surety or Sureties or by such mortgage or voluntary condemnation as aforesaid. ELEVENTHLY—If the Security to be given by the Party or Parties Appellant for the prosecution of the Appeal and for the payment of such Costs as may be awarded shall in manner aforesaid be completed within three months from the date of the Petition for leave to Appeal then and not otherwise the said Supreme Court shall make an Order allowing such Appeal and the Party or Parties Appellant shall be at liberty to prefer and prosecute his her or their Appeal to Us Our Heirs and Successors in Our or their Privy Council in such manner and under such Rules as are observed in Appeals made to Us in Our Privy Council from Our Plantations or Colonies. TWELFTHLY PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS that any Person or Persons feeling aggrieved by any Order which may be made by or by any proceedings of the said Supreme Court respecting the Security to be taken upon any such Appeal as aforesaid shall be and is hereby authorised by his her or their Petition to Us in Our Privy Council to apply for redress in the premises.

53. PROVIDED ALWAYS and we do further ordain direct and declare that nothing herein contained doth or shall extend to take away or abridge the undoubted Right or Authority of Us Our

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Heirs and Successors to admit and receive any Appeal from any Judgment Decree Sentence or Order of the said Supreme Court on the humble Petition of any Person or Persons agrieved thereby in any Case in which and subject, to any Conditions or Restrictions upon and under which it may seem meet to Us Our Heirs and Successors so to admit and receive any such Appeal.

54. AND WE DO further direct and ordain that in all Cases of Appeal allowed by the said Supreme Court or by Us Our Heirs and Successors such Court shall on the application and at the Costs of the Party or Parties Appellant certify and transmit to Us Our Heirs and Successors in Our or their Privy Council a true and exact Copy of all Proceedings Evidence Judgments Decrees and Orders had or made in such Causes so appealed so far as the same have relation to the matter of Appeal Such Copies to be certified under the Seal of the said Court.

55 AND WE DO further ordain and direct that the said Supreme Court shall in all Cases of Appeal to Us Our Heirs and Successors conform to execute and carry into immediate effect such Judgments and Orders as We Our Heirs and Successors in Our or Their Privy Council shall make thereupon in such manner as any Original Judgment or Decree of the said Supreme Court can or may be executed.

56. AND WE DO further ordain and direct that all Laws Customs and Usages now or at any time heretofore established or in force in the said Island so far as such Laws or Usages are in any wise repugnant to or at variance with this present Charter shall be and the same are hereby revoked abrogated rescinded and annulled.

57. AND WE DO further declare that for the purpose and within the meaning of the present Charter any Person lawfully administering for the time being the Government of the said Island shall be deemed and taken to be the Governor thereof.

58. AND WE DO further ordain and direct that at the expiration of two Calendar months next after the arrival within the said Island of these presents or at such earlier period as the Governor for the time being of the said Island shall by a Proclamation to be for that purpose issued appoint this Our Charter shall come into operation within the said Island and from that time forward every Suit Action Complaint Matter or Thing which shall be then depending before any Court administering Justice by Original or Appellate Jurisdiction in the said Island and its Dependencies shall and may be proceeded upon in the Court in which it ought to have been instituted or to which it ought to have been carried up in Appeal if it had been instituted or carried up in Appeal after the time when the Provisions herein contained shall have come into operation and all Proceedings which shall hereafter be had in such Suit Action Complaint Matter or Thing respectively shall be conducted in like manner as if such Suit Action Complaint Matter or Thing had been instituted or carried up in Appeal in or to such last mentioned Court and all the Records Muniments and Proceedings whatsoever belonging or pertaining to any such Suit, Action, Complaint, Matter, or Thing,

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shall when the Provisions herein contained shall have come into operation be delivered over by the Court in which such Suit Action Complaint Matter or Thing shall be then depending to the Court in or to which such Suit Action Complaint Matter or Thing ought to have been instituted or carried up in Appeal if it had been instituted or carried up in Appeal after the time when the Provisions herein contained shall have come into operation.

59. AND WE DO hereby strictly charge and command all Governors Commanders Magistrates Ministers Civil and Military and all Our Liege subjects within and belonging to the said Island and its Dependencies that in the execution of the several Powers Jurisdictions and Authorities hereby granted made given or created they be aiding and assisting and obedient in all things as they will answer the contrary at their Peril.

60. PROVIDED ALWAYS that nothing in these Presents contained or any Act which shall be done under the Authority thereof shall extend or be deemed or construed to extend to prevent Us Our Heirs and Successors by any other Letters Patent to be by Us or Them from time to time for that purpose issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom from revoking this Our Charter or any part thereof or from making such further or other Provision for the Administration of Justice throughout the said Island and its Dependencies at Our and Their Will and Pleasure as circumstances may require We meaning and intending fully and absolutely to all intents and purposes whatsoever to reserve to ourselves Our Heirs and Successors such and the same rights and powers in and over the said Island and its Dependencies, and especially touching the Administration of Justice therein and all other Matters and Things in and by these Presents provided for as if these Presents had not been made any thing in these Presents contained or any Law Custom Usage Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

IN WITNESS whereof we have caused these our Letters to be made Patent WITNESS Ourself at Westminster the Eighteenth day of February in the third Year of Our Reign.

BY WRIT OF PRIVY SEAL,

BATHURST.

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DIVISION OF DISTRICTS.

According to Government Proclamations.

The Northern Province to consist of the country hitherto known, as the Districts of Jaffna, Manar, and the Wanny; as the Dessavony of Nuwerekalawiye, and as the Island of Delft.

The Southern Province to consist of the country hitherto known as the Districts of Galle, Tangalle, Matura and Hambantotte; as the Dessavony of Saffragam, and as the Province of Lower Uwa and Welasse.

The Eastern Province to consist of the country hitherto known as the Districts of Trincomalie and Batticaloa; and as the Provinces of Tamankadewe and Bintenne, excepting Wegampaha, Kooloogampaha and Miganagolla-palata.

The Western Province to consist of the country hitherto known as the Districts of Colombo, Chilaw and Putlam; as the Dessavonies of Seven Korles, Four Korles and three Korles; and as the Province of Lower Bulatgamme.

The Central Province to consist of the country hitherto known as the Districts of Kandy, Yattinuwera, Udunuwera, Harasiapattoo, Tumpane, Dumbere, Hewahette, Kotmale, Upper Bulatgamme, and Weyeloowa; Wegampaha, Kooloogampaha and Miganagolla-palata of Bintenne; and as the Dessavonies of Uwa, Matelle, Udapalata, and Wallapana.

The District of Colombo, as regards the exercise of the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, to consist of that space of country heretofore forming the Collectorship of Colombo, the space forming the Three Korles and Lower Bulatgamme, and the space forming the Dessavony of Saffragam; and to be bounded on the North by the Kaymel River, on the South by the River of Bentotte and on the West by the Sea. The District of Colombo, as lastly hereinbefore limited, to be subdivided, as regards the Jurisdiction of the District Judges, into six Districts to be known and designated respectively as District No. 1 North of Colombo, District No. 1 South of Colombo, District No. 2 of Colombo, District No. 3 of Colombo, District No. 4 of Colombo, and District No. 6 of Colombo.

Colombo District No. 1 North, Court to be held at Colombo—To consist of so much of the Town and the space contained within the four Gravets of Colombo as is bounded on the South by St. John's River, Dam Street, Hulfsdorp Street, Silversmith Street and the High Road to Kandy as far as the Bridge of Boats—so much of the Allootcoor Corle as is situated to the Southward of the Dandugam River, and of the Addicary pattoo and Meddepattoo of the Cina Corle—(excluding the two Vidhan Villages of Benmoelle and Galgomoowe) and of so much of the Gangebodde Pattoo in the said Corle as is situated west of the Road from Hangwelle to Attenegalle.

Colombo District No. 1 South, Court to be held at Colombo—To consist of so much of the Town and the space contained

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within the four Gravets of Colombo as is bounded on the North by St. John's River, Dam Street, Hulfsdorp Street, Silversmith Street and the High Road to Kandy as far as the Bridge of Boats—of the Meddepattoo, the Pallepattoo and the Addicaripattoo of the Hewagam Corle—the Salpitty Corle and the villages of the Vidhan of Pantura North of the Pantura River.

Colombo District No. 2, *Court to be held at Negombo*—To consist of the Town of Negombo, and so much of the Alootcooor Corle as is situated North of the Dandugam River; the Hapitigam Corle; and so much of the Cina Corle as is comprized within the divisions known as the Vidhan Villages of Galgomoowe and Benmoelle in the Meddepattoo.

Colombo District No. 3, *Court to be held at Ruanwelle*—To consist of the space forming the Three Corles, and Lower Bulatgamme, together with the Oodoogaha Pattoo of the Cina Corle; so much of the Gangabodde Pattoo of the Cina Corle as is situated East of the Road from Hangwelle to Attenegalle; and the Oodoogaha Pattoo of the Hewagam Corle.

Colombo District No. 4, *Court to be held at Caltura*—To consist of the Pasdum Corle, and so much of Walalawitty Corle as is attached to it; Welapora Caltura and all the Villages between the River of Bentotte and the Caltura River or Calloo Ganga, which are situated between the Pasdum Corle and the Sea—the town of Pantura and its annexed villages South of the Pantura River; and the Raygam Corle.

Colombo District No. 6, *Court to be held at Ratnapoora*—To consist of the Dessavony or Province of Saffragam.

The Northern Circuit to be divided into eleven Districts, to be called as hereunder expressed. And the places at which Courts thereof shall be held, to be those subjoined to the names of the Districts respectively.

	District Court to be held at
The District of Chilaw and Putlam	Putlam & Chilaw
The District of Manar	Manar & Silawatorre
The District of Nuwerakalawiya	Anarajahpoora
The District of Jaffna	Jaffna
The District of Walligammo	Mallagam
The District of Waddimoratchie	Point Pedro
The District of Tenmoratchie & Patchelapalle	Chavagacherry
The District of the Islands	Cayts and Delft
The District of the Wanny	Moollitivoe
The District of Trincomalie	Trincomalie
The District of Batticaloa	Batticaloa

The limits of which said several Districts to be respectively as follows:

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The District of Chilaw and Putlam to consist of the several divisions of Chilaw, Putlam, Calpentyn, and the Demellepattoo.

The District of Manar to consist of the Province of that name, together with the Parish of Illepecadewe, and the following Provinces which formerly formed part of the Collectorship of the Wanny: Kelekomole North, Kelekomole South, Odeaoor, Nadoe Chetty Colom, Sinne Chetty Colom, Meerkomole, Pannengammo, and Toonukay.

The District of Nuwerakalawiya to consist of the Province or Dessavony of that name.

The District of Jaffna to consist of the Parishes of Nalloor, Wanarponne, Chundicooly, Copay, Poottoor, Oodooville, Manipaay, Poonoryn, Polwerayencadoo, and the island of Two Brothers.

The District of Walligammo to consist of the Parishes of Atchowely, Mylitty, Mallagam, Tellipalle, Pandeterrippo, Changane, and Batticotte.

The District of Waddimoratchie to consist of the Parishes of Oodopitty, Cattewely, and Point Pedro.

The District of Tenmoratchie and Patchelapalle to consist of the Parishes of Nawacooly, Chavagacherry, Warrene, Elludumutual, Catchay, Mogomale, Tambogammo, Plopalle, Mullipattoo and Caretchy.

The District of the Islands to consist of the Parishes of Cayts, Welene and Alleputty; and of the Islands of Pungertivoe, Aneletivoe, Nynativoe, Carativoe and Delft.

The District of the Wanny to consist of the following Provinces, which formerly formed a part of the District or Collectorship of the Wanny: Karrikattemolle North, Karrikattemolle South, Mulliawelle, Melpattoo North, Melpattoo South, Melpattoo East, Carnawelpattoo North, Carnawelpattoo South, and Poodoocoodieruppoo.

The District of Trincomalie to consist of the District of that name and the Province of Tamankadewe.

The District of Batticaloa to consist of the District of that name, and the Province of Bintenne excepting Wegampaha, Kooloogampaha and Miganagollapalata.

The Southern Circuit to be divided into Five Districts, to be called respectively:

	District Court to be held at
The District of Amblangodde.....	Ballepitty Moderah
The District of Galle	Galle
The District of Matura	Matura
The District of Hambantotte	Hambantotte
The District of Tangalle	Tangalle

The limits of which said several Districts to be respectively as follows:

The District of Amblangodde to consist of the upper division of the Wellebodde pattoo, being that situated to the North-

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ward of Hickgodde River, and the Wallallawitte Corle, excepting so much as is included in the Colombo District No. 4.

The District of Galle to consist of the Town and Four Gravets of Galle, the Gangebodde Pattoo (of Galle), the Talpepattoo, and the lower division of the Wellebodde Pattoo, being that situated to the Southward of the Hickgodde River.

The District of Matura to consist of the whole of the Bellegam Corle and Totemoone, Matura Four Gravets and the Angooroogams, Makawitte, the Gangeboddepattoo (of Matura) and the four Baygams, the Kandeboddepattoo, the Wellebodde pattoo (of Matura) and the Muruwe Corle.

The District of Hambantotte to consist of the Magampattoo.

The District of Tangalle to consist of the Gireway Pattoo, Kireme, Cattoene, Oedoebokke and Julampitye.

And the Eastern Circuit to be divided into Eight Districts to be called respectively :

	District Court to be held at
The District of Seven Korles.....	Kornegal
The District of Four Korles	Ootuankandy
The District of Kandy	Kandy
The District of Madawalatenne ..	Madawalatenne
The District of Matele	Fort MacDowall
The District of Nuwera Ellia.....	Nuwera Ellia
The District of Badoolla	Badoolla
The District of Alipoot.....	Alipoot

The limits of which said several Districts to be respectively as follows:

The District of Seven Korles to consist of the Dessavony of that name.

The District of Four Korles to consist of the Dessavony of that name.

The District of Kandy to consist of the Provinces of Udunuwera, Yattinuwera, Dumbera, Hewahette Megoddatihe, the Hangurankette and Gannawe Korles of Hewahette Eggodatihe, Udapalata, Udabulatgama, and Dolosbagey.

The District of Madawalatenne to consist of the Provinces of Harasiapattoo and Tumpane.

The District of Matele to consist of the Dessavony of that name.

The District of Nuwera Ellia to consist of the Province of Kotmale and the Maturatta and Kohoke Korles; of Hewahette Eggodatihe and the portion of the Province of Uwa contiguous to Nuwera Ellia and to the Northward and Westward of the Hakgalla range of mountains.

The District of Badoolla to consist of the Provinces of Wallapana, Weyaloowa, Oudakinde, Meddakinde and Yattekinde of Uwa ; Wegampaha, Kooloogampaha and Miganagollapalata of Bintenne ; and Pattipola and Polwatte of Welasse.

The District of Alipoot to consist of the Province of Welasse, and Kandukara, extending from the Wallaway River to Welasse.

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RULES AND ORDERS.

For regulating the Form of Proceeding in District Courts.

WHEREAS by His Majesty's Charter or Letters Patent, bearing date at Westminster the 10th day of February in the present year 1833, it is, among other things, ordained, directed, and appointed, that it shall be lawful for the Judges of the Supreme Court thereby established, collectively, at any general Sessions to be by them holden at Colombo, to frame, constitute, and establish, such general rules and orders of Court, as to them shall seem meet, touching and concerning [among other things therein particularly set forth] the time and place of holding the several District Courts, thereby also established, and touching and concerning the form and manner of proceeding to be observed therein, the practice and pleadings upon all actions, suits, and other matters, both civil and criminal, to be therein brought, the proceedings of the Fiscals and other ministerial officers of the said Courts, the process of the said Courts, and the mode of executing the same, the qualifications, summoning, impanelling, and challenging, of Assessors, arrest on mesne process, or in execution, the taking of bail, the mode of prosecuting appeals from the said Courts, the admission of Advocates and Proctors to practise therein, and all such general Rules and Orders, as may be necessary for giving full and complete effect to the provisions of the said Charter, in whatever respects the form and manner of administering Justice in the said Courts; and all such Rules, Orders, and Regulations from time to time to revoke, alter, amend, or renew, as occasion may require: Provided that no such Rules, Orders, or Regulations, shall be repugnant to the said Charter, and that the same be so framed as to promote, as far as may be, the discovery of truth, and economy and expedition in the dispatch of the business of the said Courts, and be drawn up in plain, succinct, and compendious terms, avoiding all unnecessary repetitions and obscurity, and promulgated in the most public and authentic manner in this Island, as long before the same shall operate and take effect, as to such Judges may appear practicable and convenient: And provided also that all such Rules, Orders, and Regulations shall forthwith be transmitted to Us, Our Heirs and Successors, under the seal of the said Court, for Our or Their approbation or disallowance: And whereas one of the main objects of the said Charter is to procure uniformity of practice in all the District Courts of this Island:—In furtherance therefore of that object, and by virtue of the power and authority vested in the Judges of the Supreme Court as above recited, It is ordered that the course of proceeding, to be followed in all the District Courts, established by virtue of the said Charter or Letters Patent, in the exercise of the several Branches of their Jurisdiction, shall be as follows:

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SECTION I.

ORDINARY CIVIL JURISDICTION.

1. The Plaintiff or Complainant shall, either by himself in person, or by his Advocate or Proctor, duly admitted to practise in such District Court, and having received due authority from such Plaintiff in writing to act in that behalf, (but by no other Advocate, Proctor or Attorney) either state his case viva voce in open Court, in manner hereinafter directed by Rule No. 10, or shall file a Libel in writing (Form No. 1) by delivering the same to the Secretary of the Court, which libel shall state the cause of action or complaint as shortly as the nature of the case will admit, and the relief or remedy which he seeks.—And at the time of making such statement viva voce, or of filing such libel, he shall produce and deposit in Court any vouchers or written documents, to which such statement or libel shall refer; or copies of such thereof as may be in the possession of third persons, and of which the originals therefore cannot be produced till the trial; nor shall any vouchers or documents so referred to be received in evidence at the trial, unless so filed, or unless the plaintiff shall satisfy the Court that he was unable to file either originals or copies, at the time of making his complaint. But this is not to preclude such plaintiff from giving any documents in evidence, other than those so referred to, subject to the rules hereinafter laid down. —The Court will thereupon order a summons (Form No. 2) to issue, signed by the Secretary, requiring the appearance of the defendant on such certain day as shall be reasonable, with reference to the distance from which he may have to come; Which summons shall intimate the cause of action set forth in the Libel, and shall be directed to the Fiscal of the District, who shall cause a copy of the same to be duly served on the defendant, subject to the Rules in that behalf prescribed by Regulation of Government No. 13 of 1827, and shall return the same and the execution thereof, duly verified by the oath of the officer to whom the actual service thereof has been entrusted, to the Court.

2. If the Plaintiff, by his own statement, without oath, but subject, in case of his wilfully making a false statement, to such punishment as the Court shall award, as directed by the 29th Rule, and subject also in such case to an action for false arrest, shall, at the commencement of the suit, or at any subsequent period before Judgment, aver to the Court that the Defendant is justly and truly indebted to him, and that he the Plaintiff has no mortgage or other security, or none adequate thereto, besides the personal undertaking of the defendant; and shall also aver that he verily does believe, and shall shew by the oath or affidavit of any third person that he has good ground for believing, that the defendant intends to abscond or to leave the Jurisdiction of the Court; or if the plaintiff shall by such his own statement,

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but subject to the same punishment and action in case of his wilfully making a false statement as above directed, shew a case of such enormous personal wrong done to him by the defendant, as in the judgment of the Court to render such security necessary for the purposes of Justice; in any such case, a warrant (Form No. 3) to arrest the body of the defendant shall issue, and shall be directed, executed and returned in the same manner as the usual summons. Provided that, if the plaintiff shall be in possession of any security in part, he shall, on pain of punishment for such false statement and concealment, set forth the same particularly in his application, and the amount thereof shall be deducted from the amount of security to be required from the defendant. Provided also that such statement and affidavit, to authorize such arrest, shall be made or sworn before the District Judge in person, the Secretary of the Court being present, and that if the same shall be made or sworn out of Court, which shall only be permitted where the emergency of the case makes it necessary for the purposes of Justice so to do, the District Judge or the Secretary shall take a minute of the proceedings, and shall enter it on the records of the Court as soon as possible afterwards.

3. The Defendant, being arrested on such warrant, shall be brought up before the Court in custody of the Fiscal, unless he shall give reasonable security (Form No. 4.) to the Fiscal to appear and answer the Plaintiff's Libel, in which case the Fiscal shall be authorized to discharge him. If he is brought before the Court under the Warrant, or if he appears in discharge of the Bail taken by the Fiscal, he must give Bail (Form No. 5.) to abide by and perform the judgment of the Court, and pay any sum or sums which may be awarded against him, or to surrender himself or be surrendered by his sureties, to be charged in Execution for the same; Or, if he is unable or unwilling to give such bail, he shall be committed to prison (Form No. 6) until he complies. (See Form No. 7 for his release.)

4. When the defendant appears, whether under the warrant of Arrest, or in obedience to the ordinary summons, which he may do either in person, or by Advocate or Proctor, duly admitted to practise in such District Court, and having received due authority in writing from such defendant to act in that behalf, (but by no other Advocate, Proctor or Attorney) such appearance shall be recorded by the Secretary, who shall, if required so to do, furnish him with a copy of the Libel; Or, if he prefers it, he may obtain such copy from the Plaintiff's Proctor, provided it bear such Stamp as would be required if furnished by the Secretary of the Court. If the defendant admits the claim against him, which admission shall either be filed in writing by the defendant or his Proctor, or shall be taken down by the Secretary of the Court, and shall in either case be signed by the defendant, or by some person duly authorized by him, or if such defendant, being absent, shall transmit to the Secretary of the Court an admission in writing, signed by himself, and duly

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certified by the Judge of some other District, or by any person duly authorized by the Court for that purpose, such admission shall be recorded, and the Court shall forthwith pronounce judgment for the amount so admitted.

5. If the defendant, on his appearance, shall not admit the plaintiff's claim, he shall be allowed eight days to prepare his plea or answer, unless the Court, on motion, shall see fit to extend the time for so doing; in which answer, which he may either make in person, or by his Advocate or Proctor, and either vivâ voce in open Court, as hereinafter directed by the 10th Rule, or in writing (Form No. 8,) all the material facts alleged in the libel, and all the written documents therewith filed, shall be either admitted, or denied, or confessed and avoided, so as to throw the utmost light possible upon the merits, and to ascertain and shorten the proofs necessary to be adduced on either side.—And if such answer be insufficient, or couched in ambiguous or indirect terms, the Court shall, on motion by the Plaintiff or his Advocate or Proctor, to be made within four days after answer filed, order the defendant to amend the same within four days, or shall examine the defendant in open Court in manner hereinafter provided, in order to supply any such defects in the answer.—At the time when he so makes his answer, whether vivâ voce or in writing, he shall produce and deposit in Court any vouchers or written documents, to which such answer shall refer; or copies of such thereof as may be in the possession of third persons, and of which the originals thefore cannot be produced till the trial; nor shall any vouchers or documents, so referred to in such answer, be received in evidence at the trial, unless so filed, or unless the defendant shall satisfy the Court that he was unable to file either originals or copies, at the time of answering.—But this is not to preclude such defendant from giving any documents in evidence, other than those so referred to, subject to the Rules hereinafter laid down.

6. No plea in bar, founded on any Regulation of Government, shall be admitted as valid, unless the clause or clauses of the Regulation on which the plea is founded be set forth at length, or at least unless the Regulation and clause or clauses be expressly and distinctly referred to.

7. Within eight days after the Defendant's answer filed (a copy of which may be delivered to the Plaintiff either by the Secretary or by the Defendant's Proctor, as provided by the 4th Rule with respect to copies of Libels) if no exception be taken to the same, the Plaintiff shall file his Replication [Form No. 9] which shall admit or deny the material facts alleged in the answer, and any written documents therewith filed, but shall not state any new matter, not arising directly out of the answer: Nor shall any further pleading be admitted on either side, unless by special permission of the Court, on good cause shewn by the party praying for it, or by order of the Court, if further explanation shall appear necessary. The pleadings being closed, issue shall be considered to be joined between the parties. And if the Plaintiff fail to file his Replication within eight days, the

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defendant may move that a general Replication be entered by the Secretary, and that issue be declared to be joined.

8. In order to save the unnecessary waste of time to the Court, and expense to the parties, occasioned by summoning and examining witnesses to prove facts immaterial to the real point at issue, the District Judge shall and may, whenever it shall appear to him that any of the allegations contained in the pleadings, whether of the Plaintiff, or Defendant, or of any third party, are irrelevant to the question, declare to the respective parties, or their Proctors, that he will not admit evidence to prove or to contradict such irrelevant allegations. And if, after such declaration by the Judge, either party shall summon witnesses to or against such allegations, the expenses of such witnesses shall be borne by the party summoning them, whether he succeed in the suit or not; Provided that such allegations shall only be marked by the Secretary, but shall not be struck out of the pleadings; and provided also that it shall be open to parties to appeal against such declaration of irrelevancy.—And in order to enable the district Judge to ascertain, with precision, the real question in dispute between the parties, he shall and may, whenever he shall deem it expedient so to do, examine, but not upon oath, all or any of the parties who may be in attendance in Court, or their respective Proctors, as far as such Proctors may consider themselves at liberty to answer the questions so put to them, as to any fact or facts which are material but are not stated, or not stated with sufficient clearness, in the pleadings; and any declaration, admission, or denial, given in answer to such examination, shall be entered in the proceedings, as part of the pleadings of the party making it.

9. Any party to a suit shall be at liberty to amend his libel, answer, or any other pleadings, on payment of the costs thereof, at any time before the lists of Witnesses and the documentary evidence are filed, but not afterwards, unless with the consent of the adverse parties.

10. In any case in which it shall appear to the District Judge, on the application of one or more of the parties to a suit, or otherwise, that from the nature of the case, from the practice which has heretofore existed in Courts in the same District, from the situation of the parties, or from any other cause, it would conduce to the more speedy and effectual attainment of Justice, if the respective statements of the parties were taken viva voce, he may so receive them, either from the mouths of the parties themselves, or from their Advocates or Proctors, reducing them to writing, and causing them to be read over and explained to, and signed by, the parties making them, at the time when they are so received; provided that each party, or his Advocate or Proctor, be present when the statement of an adverse party is received, or else that it be read over and explained to him, or his Advocate or Proctor, as soon afterwards as he shall so appear in Court.—And such statements, when so reduced to writing, and read over and explained to and signed by the parties making them, shall be taken as the pleadings of such parties respectively.

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—Provided that no such statement, nor any subsequent step in the Suit, be taken, except in open Court, and in the actual presence of the Judge and of the Assessors.—And if, as it often happens, the facts of the case, on the statements of the parties, and on their examination by the Court as to the points in issue, and the cross examination of each other by themselves or their respective Advocates and Proctors to such points, as hereinafter directed, shall appear so plain as to require no further evidence, the Court shall and may state the case to the parties, provided they be all present in Court at the time, either personally or by their Advocates or Proctors, and shall and may decide the case summarily, without further delay or proceedings: And in all cases, even though it should not be apparent to the Court that no further light could be thrown on the case by evidence, still if all the parties, either on their own suggestion or on that of the Court, shall consent, freely and voluntarily, to take the Judgment of the Court on the case as it stands, on their own respective statements and admissions, which consent shall be entered on the Records of the Court, the Court shall be authorized to decide summarily: Provided that, if either party shall appeal from such summary Judgment, such Appeal shall be only allowed from the decision on the case as it presented itself to the Court, and shall not entitle the Appellant to call for evidence, unless the Supreme Court, on such Appeal, shall consider that evidence ought to be adduced.

11. If it shall appear by the Return to the Summons and the Oath of the Officer, as directed by the first Rule, that the Defendant has been duly served, and he shall make default in appearing, an order (Form No. 10) shall issue on Motion by the Plaintiff, calling on such Defendant to shew cause, on such day as shall afford him reasonable time with reference to distance, why he should not be attached for default of appearance; and if he neither enters his appearance, nor shews good and sufficient cause, as directed by the said order, a Warrant of Arrest (Form No. 11) shall, on motion of the Plaintiff, issue in manner directed by the 2nd Rule, and the Defendant, being arrested thereon, shall remain in Custody of the Fiscal, till he shall have duly entered his appearance, or until he shall have given good and sufficient Security to the Fiscal (Form No. 4) for such appearance.

12. If the Defendant, being so attached, or having been committed to prison for want of bail, as directed by the 3rd Rule, shall remain in custody, without either appearing or giving Security, a written notice (Form No. 12) may, on motion by the Plaintiff, be served upon him, warning him that if he do not file his answer on or before a given day (the day on which his answer would in ordinary course be due) the Secretary of the Court will enter a general denial, whereupon issue will be joined, and the Plaintiff will be entitled to proceed ex-parte, giving due notice to the Defendant of every subsequent step taken, and order made, in the Suit.

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13. So, if a Defendant, having appeared, shall make default in filing his answer, the like proceeding by attachment, mutatis mutandis, shall be observed, as for default of appearance.

14. If the Fiscal shall return, either to the Summons, or the Warrant of Arrest, or of Attachment, that the Defendant is not to be found within his District, such Summon or Warrant shall and may, on motion of the Plaintiff, be transmitted to the Judge of any other District, who shall thereupon endorse the same, and direct it to the Fiscal of his District for execution, and when duly executed and returned, shall transmit it with the body of the Defendant, or with the bond or other Security which he may have given for his appearance, to the Judge out of whose Court it originally issued, and the case shall be proceeded with in such original Court, in like manner as if the Defendant had been found within the Jurisdiction thereof.

15. In case also of the Fiscal so returning to such Summons or Warrant, that the Defendant is not to be found, if the Plaintiff shall by his own Statement, subject to punishment and action in case of his making a false Statement as provided by the second Rule, verify his demand to the satisfaction of the Court, a Mandate of Sequestration (Form No. 13) shall, on motion of the Plaintiff, issue to the Fiscal, directing him to seize and Sequester the House, Lands, Goods, Monies, Securities for Money, and debts, wheresoever or in whose custody soever the same may be within his District, to such value as the Court shall think reasonable and adequate to the cause of action so verified, and to detain or secure the same, till the Defendant shall appear and answer. And the Fiscal shall cause due notice in writing to be served on all persons, (in whose possession or power such property of the Defendant, whether moveable or immoveable, shall be) of the sequestration having issued, and requiring them to reserve and retain the same and all issues, rents, profits and interest accruing therefrom, to abide the further order of the Court. And if the property, levied under one sequestration, should not be of sufficient value to afford Security adequate to the cause of action, one or more further sequestrations may, on like motion, issue, by an endorsement (Form No. 14) on the original process of sequestration, to be signed by the Judge, and specifying the further amount of property to be sequestered, till Security to the necessary amount is obtained.

16. The property so sequestered shall either remain under sequestration, or be sold, at the discretion of the Court; regard being had to the nature of such property, and the interests of all parties concerned. As soon as conveniently may be after such sequestration, written notices in English, and the Native language or languages of the District, shall be affixed at the Court House, and at such other public and conspicuous places as the Court shall direct, stating the name and designations of the parties, the cause of action, that such sequestration has issued, the description of the property sequestered, and calling on the Defendant to appear. Proclamation shall also be made two several days in open Court, at such intervals as the Court in its discretion shall consider fit and just towards

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all parties, calling on the Defendant to appear, on pain of the Court proceeding ex parte.

17. If the Defendant shall appear on or before the day of last Proclamation, and shall give such security as the Court shall consider the nature of the case to require, the sequestration shall thereupon be dissolved, and the suit shall proceed as in ordinary cases: And in default of his giving such security, he shall be admitted to appear and defend the action, but the property shall remain under sequestration. If the Defendant shall not appear on or before such day of last Proclamation, the Court shall and may, on motion of the Plaintiff, proceed to hear the cause ex parte.

18. If the property sequestered be claimed by a third party, the right thereto shall be tried between the Claimant and the Plaintiff as an incidental suit; and the proceedings in the original suit shall be stayed, if the Court shall consider such stay necessary for the purposes of Justice, but not otherwise.

19. And process of sequestration shall in like manner issue at any stage of the case, up to execution, provided the Plaintiff shall aver to the Court that the Defendant is indebted to him to the amount of £10. without security as directed by the 2nd Rule, and shall further satisfy the Court, by the Affidavit of a third person, that there are strong grounds for believing, and that such third person does believe, that the Defendant is fraudulently alienating his property to avoid payment of the debt. And if the property in dispute consists of Houses or Land, and the Plaintiff shall satisfy the Court that the Defendant would be unable to make satisfaction for the issues, rents and profits thereof, if Judgment should pass for the Plaintiff, or if the Court be satisfied that sequestration will tend to prevent new or further litigation, then, and in any such case, such issues, rents and profits shall be sequestered, as directed by the 15th Rule; provided that such sequestration shall in all cases be dissolved, on the Defendant giving security to the satisfaction of the Court, equal to the value of the property sequestered. And provided also that, if Judgment shall in such case pass for the Defendant, he shall be entitled to recover against the Plaintiff, as costs of suit, all damages occasioned by such sequestration, either to the Defendant or to those in whose possession such property shall have been so sequestered.

20. Issue being joined, and the District Judge having declared his opinion as to any allegations which may appear to him irrelevant, as directed by the 8th Rule, a day shall be given to the parties, not exceeding eight days from the time of Issue being joined, on which day all parties shall file such written Documents, (except those which shall already be filed with their pleadings, or which shall not be in the possession of the parties at the time) as they intend to produce at the trial, which documents shall be shewn to the adverse parties respectively, who shall be called upon to admit or deny the same; nor shall any other documents be received in evidence, unless the party producing them shall satisfy the Court, that it was not in his power to produce them on the day fixed.

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21. Within eight days after filing the documentary evidence, the parties shall file their respective Lists of Witnesses, a copy of each of which shall be delivered to the opposite party. If the Plaintiff fail so to file such list, the Defendant may move for a Rule (Form No. 15) upon him to shew cause why the action should not be dismissed with costs; and if no good cause be shewn on the day fixed for that purpose, the action shall be so dismissed. If the Defendant fail so to file his list, the Plaintiff may move to proceed ex-parte, and the case shall, due notice being given thereof to the Defendant, (Form No. 16) proceed to hearing and Judgment by default, unless good and satisfactory cause be shewn against such proceeding.

22. On the day on which the lists of Witnesses are filed, a day shall forthwith be fixed for the hearing of the case, within as short a time as possible, with reference to the nature of the case, the grounds truly and bonâ fide set forth by either party for expediting or postponing the hearing, and the business already pending before the Court. If the day of trial cannot be fixed or agreed upon when Issue is joined, the Plaintiff may, after due notice given to the Defendant and other parties, move to set the case down for hearing, on any day which the Court may consider convenient. And if no good and sufficient cause be shewn to the contrary, the case shall be fixed for and heard on that day. And if the Plaintiff shall fail to move in that behalf, within one month after issue joined, the Defendant may move for a Rule (Form No. 15) on such Plaintiff to shew cause why the case should not either be set down for hearing on a day certain, or be dismissed.

23. Witnesses shall be summoned by Citations (Form No. 17) to be issued by the Secretary, and served and returned by the Fiscal; and if such Witnesses be in a different District from that in which the suit is instituted, the Citations shall be directed to the Fiscal of the District in which the Witnesses shall be found, and shall be served by such Fiscal, and returned by him to the Court out of which they originally issued. Such Citations shall command their attendance at the time and place specified, under a penalty of £5. And if any Witness shall refuse or neglect to obey such Citation, the Court shall, on motion of the party summoning, and proof that such Citation has been duly served, issue a Warrant of Attachment (Form No. 18) against such Witness, who shall forthwith be brought before the Court and committed to prison, until he shall pay the said penalty; and shall suffer such other punishment for the contempt, as the Court shall consider necessary for the vindication of its own authority, unless he can prove to the satisfaction of the Court that he was prevented by illness, or other insuperable obstacle, from attending. Provided that all Witnesses, whose homes shall be more than four miles from the Court, shall be entitled to receive such sums as are now allowed to Witnesses in the respective Districts and Provinces, for every day which they shall necessarily be absent from their homes, in obedience to such Citations: And every party to a suit, on applying for Citations to his Witnesses shall either deposit in

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Court, or give security for the payment of, such sum as the Secretary (who shall refer to the District Judge, if any dispute arise as to amount) shall consider necessary for that purpose, with regard to the number of Witnesses, and the distance from their several houses; Which sums shall be included in the taxed costs, except when the Court shall consider that Witnesses have been summoned unnecessarily, the allowance to whom shall, in all cases, be borne by the party summoning them.

24. On the day fixed for hearing, the case shall be called on in its turn: If the Plaintiff do not appear, either in person, or by Advocate or Proctor, and the Defendant be ready to proceed, the case shall be dismissed with costs: If the Plaintiff be ready to proceed, and the Defendant do not appear, either in person, or by Advocate or Proctor, the case shall be heard for the Plaintiff exparte. If neither party so appear, the case shall be struck out of the List. If any material Witness for the Plaintiff be absent, and the case be postponed in consequence, the Plaintiff, unless he can shew to the satisfaction of the Judge that such Witness has been kept away by the adverse party, shall within the space of four days pay into Court the expences (subject to taxation) occasioned by the attendance of the Defendant's Witnesses, and of those of any intervening party on that day; and in default of such payment, his case shall be dismissed. If any material Witness for the Defendant or for any intervening party be absent, the Plaintiff shall be at liberty to proceed exparte to the hearing and decision of the case, unless such Defendant or intervening party can shew to the satisfaction of the Judge, that such Witness has been kept away by the Plaintiff, or unless such Defendant or intervening party will forthwith pay into Court the expences (subject to taxation) occasioned by the attendance of the Plaintiff's Witnesses on that day. If all parties are prepared, the Plaintiff or his Advocate or Proctor shall state his case to the Court, and the nature of the evidence he is about to adduce; and shall then call his Witnesses, who shall be examined, cross examined, and re-examined, as hereinafter provided; after which the Defendant shall state his case, and the nature of his evidence, and shall then call his Witnesses in like manner; After which the Plaintiff may, if the Defendant has called any Witnesses, (but not otherwise, unless specially called on by the Court so to do) address the Court in reply, and may call any Witnesses to disprove facts sworn to by the Defendant's Witnesses, but not to prove facts which might have been proved by such Plaintiff in the first instance. Provided that if, from the way in which the case presents itself, the burthen of proof should lie in the first instance on the Defendant, or on any intervening party, or if it should appear more convenient that such intervening party should be heard before the Defendant, the District Judge may and shall alter the course of hearing accordingly.

25. Any objection to the competency of a Witness, if the ground of such objection be known to the adverse Party, shall be made when he is called in Court, for the purpose of being examined; and such Witness may be examined by the Court, or the adverse

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party, or his Advocate or Proctor, as to the alleged cause of incompetency. Provided that if any ground of incompetency shall be brought to the knowledge of a party, after a Witness has been examined, such party may apply to the Court, and on good and sufficient proof of such incompetency, the evidence of such Witness shall be struck out of the Proceedings. No Witness shall be held incompetent, unless he or she appear unable, either from want of age or of understanding, to comprehend the obligation, which they are about to take upon themselves, of telling the truth; or unless from the sentence or conviction by some competent Court of an offence which legally disqualifies, or unless such Witness stand in the relation of husband or wife to one of the litigant parties, or be otherwise directly interested in the event of the suit. Any other objections shall only affect the credit, but not the competency, of the witness.

26. All witnesses shall be sworn, according to the form prescribed by the rites of the religion which they may respectively profess; nor shall any other or extraordinary kind of Oath be permitted. The Oath shall be administered, and the witness shall be examined, vivâ voce in open Court; unless the District Judge shall be satisfied by the vivâ voce examination of a party or witnesses in open Court, or by affidavit, if the matter be not within the knowledge of any party or witnesses who might be examined in Court, that the witness in question is unable from age, or sickness, or other insurmountable cause, to attend the Court; Or unless all the parties to a suit shall give their consent in writing that an absent witness be examined on Interrogatories: Or unless the witness shall be out of this Island and its dependencies, or at so great a distance within the Island, as, in the opinion of the District Judge, to make the expense and inconvenience of compelling his attendance at the District Court wholly disproportioned to the importance of the Suit: In any of which cases, it shall be lawful for the District Judge to issue his Commission for the examination of such witnesses respectively, on interrogatories and cross-interrogatories, to be filed by the parties within such times as the Judge shall consider reasonable, and subject to all exceptions which may legally be made to such interrogatories, or cross-interrogatories. And the depositions of such witnesses, taken by virtue of such Commission, shall be admitted and read as evidence in any Civil Suit. Provided that whenever a Commission is moved for, to examine a witness out of the Island or its Dependencies, the party moving shall declare in open Court (subject to punishment as hereinafter provided by Rule 29, if he shall attempt to deceive the Court,) that he considers the evidence of such witness material; and provided also that if the Commission so issued out of the Island be not returned within reasonable time, the case shall, on motion of the adverse party, proceed without the evidence of such witness.

27. After a witness has been examined by the party calling him, the adverse party, or his Advocate or Proctor, may cross-examine him; and after such cross-examination, he may be re-examined by the party calling him, either on any new fact which has appeared

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on his cross-examination, or to explain any part of his cross-examination; but for no other purpose. The Judge or Assessors may at any time, whether before or after the examination by the respective parties, or during such examination, put and interpose such questions as may be considered conducive to the attainment of truth and justice. And if any objection be made, or should suggest itself to the Court, against the relevancy or admissibility of a question, or as to the terms in which it is put, the Court shall decide upon such objection, making a note thereof and of the decision, if either party require it. All the witnesses on either side, or on both or all sides, shall, on motion of any of the Parties, be kept out of Court and of hearing, except the witness immediately under examination: Nor shall any witness who shall remain in Court or within hearing, after order made to that effect, be permitted to give evidence, unless in the case of a witness called to prove some fact which has incidentally become essential in the course of the trial, and the necessity of which could not reasonably have been anticipated. And every witness who has been examined shall be kept separate from, and shall be allowed no communication with, those who still remain to be examined.

28. If the Court shall consider any fact or facts sufficiently proved by the evidence already adduced, it shall be competent for such Court to dispense with further evidence to the same point: Or if the Court shall consider further evidence, in addition to that adduced by the parties, necessary for the purposes of Justice, the witnesses in attendance shall be examined, and the Court shall suspend its decision, till such further evidence has been procured. And no party shall be precluded from calling and examining any witnesses, whom the Court shall consider necessary for his case, though their names should not appear on the list of witnesses, and though they should not have been regularly summoned by Citation: Provided that no postponement of the trial be permitted for the purpose of procuring fresh evidence, or of enforcing the attendance of witnesses not originally named, unless the strongest case of necessity for so doing be made out, to the satifaction of the Court.

29. Any party to a Suit, or his Advocate or Proctor on his behalf, shall be allowed to examine, with all the latitude of cross-examination, any adverse party to a suit, not only at the commencement thereof as provided by the 10th Rule, but at any subsequent stage thereof, if the Judge shall consider that it would conduce to the purposes of Justice: Provided that no questions shall be put, which the Court shall not consider strictly relevant to the point at issue, or which shall be abusive or insulting in their nature or language, or the answer to which would have the effect of criminating the party answering; and Provided also that no party to a suit, whether plaintiff, defendant, or third party, shall be examined upon oath: But if such party shall in his answers to such questions, or to any questions which may be put to him, either at the commencement or in the progress of a suit, state that which the Court shall be satisfied

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by other evidence is false, or if he shall by evasive, contradictory, or prevaricating answers, attempt to deceive or mislead the Court, and the Judge and two of the Assessors be satisfied that such was his intention, the Court shall and may forthwith sentence such party to such punishment as shall be considered adequate to the nature of the offence; taking into consideration always that there has been no violation of the sanctity of an oath, and mitigating such punishment accordingly. Provided further, that such examination of a party shall not preclude the party so examining him from adducing any further evidence, if necessary, to the point on which such examination shall have taken place.

30. Considering the great temptation to Perjury, to which a person swearing in his own case is exposed, it is ordered that no oath shall be administered to any party to a suit in any stage thereof; but all those facts, to which his affidavit has heretofore been necessary, shall be simply declared and affirmed by him, subject in case of falsehood, evasion, or prevarication, to punishment as directed by the foregoing Section. All such declarations and affirmations, and all affidavits by persons not parties to the suit, shall be made and sworn in open Court if possible; and all persons so declaring, affirming, or making affidavit, shall and may be examined by the Court, as to the substance of such declarations and affidavits, and of the knowledge which they respectively have thereof.

31. And in order to give the greater effect to the two preceding provisions, it shall and may be lawful for the Judge to require the attendance in Court, at any time, of all the parties to a suit, and of all persons called upon to make affidavit in the progress of a suit, in order to their mutual examination; provided they be at or near the place where the Court is holden: If they or any of them be at a distance, it shall be discretionary with the Court to require or dispense with such attendance, reference being had to the importance of the case, the necessity of such attendance, and the degree of inconvenience to which it would subject such absent parties or deponents.

32. In any stage of a suit before execution, it shall be allowed to any third party to intervene in the suit, either in support of the claim, or of the defence, or as adverse to both; and such intervenient shall be subject to all such Rules, to which the plaintiff or defendant would be liable, as shall be applicable to the case and relative situation of such intervenient.

33. All motions to be made to the Court in the progress of a suit, to which the adverse party would have a right to object, [a] shall be duly notified to such adverse party two days at least before they are made, in order that he may, if he think fit so to do, shew cause at once against such motion being granted.

(a) It would be difficult to enumerate all motions, which would fall under this denomination. The nature of the step sought to be taken must necessarily guide the Court in most instances. When any doubt arises on any particular class of motions, Reference can be made to the Supreme Court as directed by a subsequent Rule No 47.

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But if he do not shew cause in the first instance, than an order shall issue, calling on him to shew cause against the same within four days; and if he do not then shew good and sufficient cause, the rule shall be made absolute.

34. The evidence being closed on both sides, or on behalf of the party appearing in cases heard exparte, and the opinion of the District Judge and of the Assessors having been taken and recorded, when necessary, as directed by His Majesty's said Charter, the Judge shall pronounce judgment vivâ voce in open Court; or if the Judge shall require time to consider of such Judgment, he shall postpone the decision of the case till the following day, on which day he shall pronounce his judgment in the presence of the Assessors who heard the evidence; which judgment shall be reduced to writing and recorded, and shall state the grounds of his decision, whether such decision be in accordance with the opinion of the Assessors or not, and shall also state by whom the costs shall be paid, according to the Rule hereinafter provided in that behalf.

35. If Judgment be pronounced for any sum certain, execution may issue, either forthwith, or at any time afterwards, on motion of the party in whose favor Judgment has been pronounced, against the property (Form No. 19.) moveable and immoveable, of the party against whom the Writ shall issue, or against his person, (Forms No. 20 & 21) or against both, as the Judge shall consider the case may require; which writ shall be directed to the Fiscal, and shall be executed and returned in manner directed by Regulation No. 13 of 1827. Provided that if no execution shall be taken out within twelve months after Judgment, a rule on the adverse party to shew cause against it, if any he has, shall be obtained before it shall issue.

36. If any defendant, against whom Judgment shall have been obtained, shall, before satisfaction thereof, be found resident in another district; or if any defendant shall not have sufficient property within the District, in which judgment was obtained, to satisfy such judgment and costs, the plaintiff may, on the return to the Writ of Execution to that effect, move that the Execution may issue against the person or property of the defendant within any other District for the amount of the Judgment, or for so much thereof as shall still remain unsatisfied: And such Writ of Execution shall thereupon be transmitted to the Judge of such other District, who shall thereupon endorse the same, and direct it to the Fiscal of his District for execution; and when duly executed and returned shall transmit the same, together with the sum levied or with the body of the defendant, as the case may be, to the Court out of which such execution issued.

37. If Execution be taken out against a defendant, whose property is under Sequestration as hereinbefore directed, such property shall be liable to the Execution, and after satisfying the plaintiff and costs, the overplus, if any there be, shall be returned to the person in whose possession such property was seized, or shall otherwise be reserved for the defendant, as Justice shall require. And if the property sequestered shall not

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be sufficient to satisfy the judgment and costs, the execution shall remain in force for the deficiency.

38. If any defendant, against whom judgment shall have been obtained by default, shall within reasonable time after judgment, provided he shall not previously have appealed from such judgment, appear and satisfy the Court by good and sufficient evidence, that he was prevented from appearing in due time by accident or misfortune, or by not having received information of the proceedings, and shall give good and sufficient security to satisfy the original demand with interest, and any damage which may have accrued to the plaintiff by the delay, and all costs which shall have already been, or which may thereafter be, incurred; the Court, being satisfied of the premises shall be authorized to admit such defendant to make his defence, upon such terms and conditions as such Court shall think it just and right to impose.

39. If a Fiscal require further time for executing the Writ, he shall return the same into Court before the expiration thereof, with a statement in writing of his reasons for requiring such prolongation, and shall move for such further time as he shall require, and which shall be specified.

40. In decreeing payment of costs at the conclusion of a Suit, the general rule shall be taken to be, that a party against whom judgment is given shall pay the costs on both sides, subject to taxation. But it shall be in the discretion of the Court to modify this Rule, by making each party pay his own costs, or in such other way as the justice of the case shall seem to require. The expences of all witnesses unnecessarily summoned shall be borne by the party so summoning them. And if any motion be made in the progress of a Suit, which shall appear to the Judge to have been unnecessary, the costs of such motion, and of any Rule or Order consequent thereupon, shall be paid by the party making it, without reference to the ultimate result of the Suit; a minute thereof being entered in the proceedings.

41. All bills of costs, whether between party and party or between Proctor and Client, shall be taxed by the Secretary of the Court; and if either party be dissatisfied with his taxation, the matter in dispute shall be referred to the Judge for decision, which decision may be appealed against like any other.

42. Any person, wishing to obtain permission to institute proceedings in formâ pauperis in any District Court, whether in its ordinary Civil Jurisdiction, or in any other branch of its Jurisdiction, shall present a petition to the Court to that effect, together with a statement of such person, (Form No. 22.) and also an affidavit by two Headmen or respectable persons of the place at which such applicant resides (Form No. 23) verifying his poverty.

43. Such petition shall forthwith be referred to one of the Proctors of the Court, who shall be selected in rotation for this purpose, and who shall inquire of such applicant, what are the grounds of his proceeding, and the proofs by which he proposes to support it; and after examining any documents or other evidence, which the

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applicant may produce to him, he shall certify to the Court, by endorsement on the petition, whether he believes the applicant to have a good cause of action, or not.

44. If such Proctor shall certify his belief that the applicant has a good cause of action, the applicant shall be allowed to state his complaint vivâ voce, or to file a written Libel in manner directed by the first Rule, free of expense; whereupon a Summons shall issue to the defendant, as in ordinary cases.

45. When the defendant appears, whether in person or by Advocate or Proctor, he shall be asked by the Court whether he has any opposition to offer to the plaintiff being allowed to proceed in formâ pauperis, on the ground of the pecuniary circumstances of such plaintiff. And if the defendant shall offer such opposition, and shall show to the satisfaction of the Court that the plaintiff is possessed of property sufficient to pay the costs of proceeding, the Court shall intimate to the plaintiff that his case will be dismissed, unless within 14 days he shall pay the costs of such proceedings as shall have been already instituted. And if the Court shall believe that the statement of such plaintiff was made knowingly, and for the purpose of imposing on the Court, the plaintiff shall be liable to punishment for such false statement, as directed by the 29th Rule, provided that such applicant shall be entitled to appeal against any such rejection of his application. If no opposition be made to the plaintiff so suing, or if such opposition be over-ruled, he shall be allowed to proceed with his case in formâ pauperis, either in person, or by Advocate or Proctor.

46. So, if any person, being sued before a District Court shall wish to obtain permission to defend such suit in formâ pauperis, he shall present a petition, statement, and affidavit, which petition shall be referred and decided upon in like manner.

47. As it would be absolutely impossible, in framing an uniform course of Procedure for all Courts, exercising original Jurisdiction over so wide an extent of country, to provide for every point of practice which is to govern the litigation of the entire population, varying as that population does so materially in the Laws and Customs to which this practice is to be made applicable, it is inevitable that cases will be constantly occurring, for which the form of procedure may be wholly unprovided, or in which a District Judge may feel doubtful as to the course intended to be adopted; It is therefore recommended that in all such cases of doubt or difficulty, whether arising out of the foregoing Rules and Orders, or out of any of those which follow as to other branches of their Jurisdiction, the District Judges should submit the point in question either to the Judge on Circuit, or to the Judges of the Supreme Court collectively at Colombo, for his or their directions, as he shall consider most expedient, without waiting for the chance of the matter being brought to the notice of the Court by regular Appeal.

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SECTION II.

CRIMINAL JURISDICTION

As the proceedings of the Courts, heretofore existing in the Maritime Provinces, in the exercise of their Criminal Jurisdiction, have been governed by a variety of Rules and Regulations, which it is desirable to consolidate and simplify as much as possible, in order to their general application to, and introduction into, all the District Courts, Kandyan as well as Maritime; It is hereby directed that this branch of their jurisdiction, as conferred by his Majesty's said Charter, be exercised according to the following rules.

1. Every District Judge shall keep a Diary or Journal of each day's proceedings, which shall contain an exact statement of all complaints and reports, and of the evidence given by each witness, and of the defence offered by all persons accused on that day, and copies of all orders made on that day; and shall specify every summons, warrant, or commitment, issued by him on that day.

2. In all cases, in which the parties accused are committed for trial before the Supreme Court, the evidence of each witness, after it has been written in English, shall be carefully read over, and explained, and interpreted when necessary, to the witness, in presence of the District Judge; it shall then be signed by the witness and the interpreter, and attested by the District Judge and the Secretary; and a true copy thereof, with the signatures and attestations, shall be entered in the Diary.

3. If the District Judge shall have reason to apprehend that the party who has made the complaint, or any other witness, will not appear, and give evidence at the trial, he shall require such party or witness to enter into a recognizance for such his appearance, either before the Supreme Court, or before such District Judge, as the case may be. And in order on the one hand to ensure as far as possible the punishment of offences really committed, and on the other hand to discourage false and malicious accusations, no compromise of any charge once preferred and apparently well founded ought ever to be permitted or sanctioned, unless in cases of trifling assaults, or other petty offences of a merely personal nature.

4. The defence offered by every person accused, or the confession of such person, if any be made, but which shall never be taken unless freely and voluntarily given, shall be recorded, signed, attested, and entered in the Diary, in like manner as the evidence.

5. No person shall be committed for any criminal offence, unless on the information on oath before the District Judge, of some fact or facts inducing a well-grounded suspicion; or except the offence be committed within the view of the District Judge himself.

6. Every commitment shall express the crime with which the prisoner is charged, and shall be endorsed with the names of all the persons, on whose information the commitment has issued, with their respective additions, and places of abode.

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7. In admitting prisoners to bail, the District Judges shall be governed by the Rules prescribed by Regulation of Government No. 5. of 1827.

8. In all cases in which prisoners are committed for trial before the Supreme Court, the District Judge shall transmit the informations, as soon as may be, to the Fiscal of his District, to be forwarded to the Registrar of the Supreme Court.

9. The extent of Jurisdiction, to be exercised by the District Courts in the trial of offences, is limited by His Majesty's said Charter to such crimes as by law are not punishable with death, transportation, banishment, imprisonment for more than 12 Calendar months, whipping exceeding 100 lashes, or fine exceeding £10. But as it may often happen that Cases may arise, in which the punishment, in case of conviction, would not exceed the limits prescribed by the Charter, but which, from their involving nice and difficult questions of law, or from other causes, might more beneficially be tried before the Supreme Court; It is ordered that in all such cases, and in any others in which the District Judge shall feel any doubt or difficulty, he shall postpone the ultimate decision thereof, until he shall have applied for and obtained the instructions of the King's Advocate thereupon.

10. And whereas by the 41st clause of the said Charter, it is directed that all crimes and offences, cognizable before any of the Courts constituted by the said Charter, shall be prosecuted by information, to be exhibited in the name of His Majesty's Advocate Fiscal [*a*] or Deputy Advocate Fiscal: But it is provided that it shall be competent to the Supreme Court, by Rules and Orders of Court, to make any other more convenient provision for prosecuting before the District Courts breaches of the Peace, Petty Assaults, and other Minor offences of the like nature: It is therefore directed that in all such Minor offences, the District Judges may take the complaint from the mouth of the party injured, upon oath, and having entered the same in his Journal, as directed by the 1st Rule, shall proceed thereon, without any Libel or other formality of proceeding being necessary. Provided always that any party shall be at liberty, at his own cost, to present a written complaint to the Court, which may be taken as the Libel or Information, and which the complainant, if the act complained of amount to a criminal offence, shall be called upon to substantiate by his own oath or other evidence.

11. Every District Judge, in the exercise of his Criminal Jurisdiction, shall confine himself strictly within the limits of his District; except that he may transmit his warrants, when necessary, to the Judge of any other District to be executed therein; and the Judge thereof shall indorse such warrant, and cause the same to be executed within his District, and shall transmit any persons, who shall be apprehended under the authority of such warrant so endorsed, together with the warrant, to the District Judge who originally issued the same.

[*a*] The term "Advocate Fiscal" in the 41st clause is evidently a mistake in the original Charter for "King's Advocate."

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12. Every District Judge shall, within three days after any person shall be charged before him with any offence, either commit such person for trial, or admit him to bail under the provisions of the Regulation No. 5 of 1827 above mentioned; except in cases in which a party is accused of Murder, or any other very grievous offence, and in which the District Judge shall have reason to suppose that additional evidence will be adduced: In which cases, the District Judge shall and may commit the parties accused for further examination, for such reasonable time as shall appear necessary.

13. Whenever depositions are taken by any District Judge respecting a Murder, or any Burglary or Robbery of a serious description, he shall take or cause to be taken a plan of the House, Buildings, or other place where such offence shall have been committed, and annex such plan to the depositions, to be transmitted through the Fiscal to the Supreme Court.

14. Every Fiscal shall receive into his custody, and cause to be securely confined, all persons duly committed by District Judges, by warrants of commitments specifying the offence charged; and he shall cause to be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose copies of all commitments, and of the endorsements thereon, and the times when such persons were received respectively into custody. Persons committed for any bailable offence for want of security, may be enlarged, at any time before trial, on giving such security to the Fiscal, as the Supreme Court, on motion of the King's Advocate, shall direct.

15. The amount of security, whether taken before the District Judge or the Fiscal, shall be proportioned to the nature of the offence charged; and no excessive bail shall be required.

16. When a Robbery or Theft is sworn to, and any person is suspected on reasonable grounds, the District Judge shall forthwith issue a warrant to search the House of such suspected person, or any other place in which there may be reason for supposing that the stolen property may be concealed. And if the Police officer shall not have returned to the Court an account of the property stolen, the District Judge shall, as soon as possible, take an account thereof from the mouth of the prosecutor himself. If the thieves be sworn to, search-warrants shall issue of course, and without delay.

17. Where a party accused of any crime is positively sworn to, and shall abscond or fly from Justice, the District Judge shall order immediate inquiry to be made respecting the property, moveable and immoveable, of such absconding party; which property, when ascertained, shall be put under sequestrators, to be appointed by the District Judge for that purpose, which sequestrators shall manage the same, and account for the profits thereof, till the party so absconding shall surrender himself, or be apprehended.

18. All vagrants or suspected persons, who shall be found in any District without ostensible means of subsistence, or who cannot give satisfactory accounts of themselves, shall be carried before the Judge of the District, who shall examine them, and

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any other persons who may have knowledge of their usual place of residence, occupation, or mode of obtaining their livelihood; and if he shall see ground for supposing that they are disorderly or ill-disposed persons, he shall commit them to be imprisoned and kept to hard labor, until they shall find security for their good behaviour, or until some creditable person shall consent to take them into his service, or until the District Judge shall be satisfied, by the Fiscal's report of their conduct while in his custody, or from other circumstances, that they will of themselves take to some honest service or employment; in either of which cases, the District Judge shall discharge them. Provided that no District Judge shall be authorized to require security from such persons for a longer period than 12 months, and that such persons who shall remain in custody for want of security for 12 months, without committing any other offence for which they would be liable to punishment, shall be entitled to their discharge at the expiration of that period.

19. All District Judges shall be authorized to punish by fine, or imprisonment, or by both if it should be necessary, all contempts committed before themselves, and also upon due proof all contempts of their process or of their officers acting in the execution thereof. Provided that the course of proceeding in such cases, prescribed by Regulation No. 15 of 1820, shall still be adhered to, that is to say: The party charged with the contempt shall be committed to prison till the next day, or shall give security, either on his own recognizance or that of another person, as the District Judge shall consider necessary, for his appearance on such next day. And on that day he shall be called upon to answer interrogatories, to be framed by the District Judge, touching his alleged contempt, and if he shall fail by his answers to satisfy the Court that no contempt was intended, the District Judge shall and may pass judgment on him, as herein before directed; Or if the party accused shall refuse to answer such interrogatories, he shall be committed to prison, and shall remain there without bail, till he declares his willingness to answer therein. Provided that all such proceedings shall be fully recorded in the criminal diary of the District Judge, and provided also that no person so convicted of a contempt shall be sentenced to receive corporal punishment by lashes.

20. Any District Judge, whenever he considers a case of Perjury committed before himself not of sufficient importance to be sent for trial before the Supreme Court, may try and determine such case himself. Provided that no punishment shall be carried into execution against any person so convicted of Perjury, until the proceedings shall have been transmitted to the King's Advocate for his opinion, as to the sufficiency of the evidence, in point of law, to warrant such conviction.

21. As it may frequently be inconvenient, under the present distribution of District Courts, that Prisoners sentenced to hard labour should undergo that sentence within the Districts in which such sentences may have been respectively passed, every District Judge is therefore hereby authorized to direct, that any person

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convicted before him, and sentenced to hard labour, shall undergo that sentence, either within the District in which he was so convicted, or in any other District of the Island, according to instructions which such District Judge shall receive in that behalf from Government.

22. Provided that no Prisoner shall be removed from the custody of one Fiscal to that of another (except in pursuance of such original commitment in execution of his sentence, by one District Judge to the Fiscal of another District, as is provided for in the last rule) unless by order of the Governor. And the Fiscal, who receives such order of removal shall deliver one copy thereof to the District Judge by whom the prisoner was committed to his custody, and another to the Fiscal to whose custody he shall deliver over such prisoner in pursuance of the order. And the Fiscal, who receives such Prisoner into his custody shall forthwith deliver another copy of the order to the District Judge, within whose jurisdiction such prisoner has been received.

23. And as by His Majesty's Charter it is directed, that the entire administration of Justice, civil and criminal, shall be vested exclusively in the Courts erected and constituted thereby, and in certain other Courts particularly specified: And it is further declared that the several jurisdictions vested in the District Court shall be an exclusive Jurisdiction, and shall not, on any plea or pretext whatever, be assumed or exercised by any other Court, Tribunal, or Judge, except as is also therein expressly excepted: And as it may often happen that persons may come to their death by violence, accident, or of a sudden, in remote places, far distant from the residence of the Judge of the District; on which account, or from other causes, it may be impossible for such Judge to hold an Inquest in person on the body of such deceased: It is therefore hereby provided that, in all cases in which the District Judge shall be prevented by distance, or by other causes, from holding such Inquest himself, he shall by general directions to be by him issued in that behalf throughout his District, cause the Chief Constable, Modliar, or other principal native Headman of the Town, Village, or other place in which such death shall happen, to go to the spot where the body of the deceased shall be lying, taking with him three or more credible persons of the neighbourhood, and there to inspect the body, and inquire into the cause of the death of such person deceased, and by whom and in what manner he was killed; which information shall be forthwith reduced to writing, and be signed by such Constable, Modliar, or Headman, and by the persons so accompanying him, with their respective opinions as to the cause of the death. And such Report shall be transmitted without delay to the Judge of the District, who shall act thereupon, as is directed by Regulation of Government No. 9 of 1823, with relation to Inquests taken by virtue of that Regulation: And it is further directed that the provisions of the said Regulation, except as they are hereby modified, shall be fully acted upon in every particular.

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SECTION III.

JURISDICTION OVER IDIOTS AND LUNATICS.

1. The District Courts, in the exercise of this branch of their jurisdiction, are referred to the provisions of Regulation No. 2 of 1829, by which a similar jurisdiction was given to the Provincial Courts, which then existed in the maritime provinces, over cases of this nature which were not subject to the Supreme Court. And it is hereby directed that those provisions shall regulate the proceedings of the Courts, throughout the Island, except as the same may hereafter be revoked or altered.

2. Provided that every Guardian, appointed, or to be appointed, for the management of the Estate of such Idiots or Lunatics, as provided by the 5th Clause of the Regulation, shall be required to file in the Court of the District in which such Estate shall be situated, twice at least in each year, and oftener if there shall appear to the District Judge good reason for calling upon him so to do, an account of his administration of the estate; and at the same time to submit for the inspection and consideration of the Court all mortgages, bonds, or other securities, on which the monies belonging to the said estate and under his charge shall have been lent or placed out, subject to the same examination and objection by the Court, in case of incorrectness, and the same penalty for non-compliance, as is provided hereafter with respect to the accounts of Executors and Administrators.

SECTION IV.

TESTAMENTARY JURISDICTION.

1. When any person shall die, leaving a Will, the person in whose keeping or custody it shall have been deposited, or who shall find such Will after the Testator's death, shall produce the same to the Court of the District in which such Testator shall have been last domiciled for the space of one year or more, or to the Court of the District in which such Testator shall have died, if he be a stranger, or if his last place of domicile be unknown, within fourteen days after such decease, on pain of being prosecuted and punished for the concealment thereof, besides being civilly liable for any damages which shall have been occasioned by the delay: And he shall also make oath, or produce an affidavit (Form No. 1.) verifying the time and place of the death, and stating, if such be the fact, that the Testator has left property within the Jurisdiction of the Court.

2. The will, so produced, shall be proved by the witnesses thereto (if any) on Oath (Form No. 2) in open Court, if they be at or near the place where the Court is holden; or by affidavit, sworn before a person duly authorized to take the same, if at a distance. If there be no witnesses to such will, then by proof of the hand-writing of the Testator, if written or signed by himself, or if neither written nor signed by the Testator, then by the person who wrote it: Provided the Law, by which such Will must be governed, will admit of such proof.

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8. After the Will is so proved, the oath (Form No. 8) shall be administered to the Executor or Executors in open Court, if present, or by a person duly authorized thereto, if at a distance. Which oath being so taken in or returned to, the Court, Probate (Form No. 4) shall be granted to such Executor or Executors under the seal of the Court. But if any of the Executors named in the will be out of the Island, or shall not appear at the time of granting such probate, a clause (Form No. 5) shall be inserted therein, reserving a power to grant like probate to such absent Executor, when he shall appear and sue for the same.

4. If there be no Executor named in the will, or if none of the Executors named therein are within the Island at the time of the Testator's death, or if, being within the Island, they refuse or neglect to appear, or renounce their respective Trusts; in any such case, a citation (Form No. 6) to the next of kin shall issue, directed to the Fiscal of the District in the Court of which such will shall have been produced, or to the Fiscal of any other District, in which such Testator's property shall be situated, or into which the District Judge shall think it expedient to issue such citation; and a Commission (Form No. 7) shall at the same time issue to two creditable persons, to appraise the property left by the deceased; which Citation and Commission shall be made returnable within such time respectively as the Court shall judge reasonable, and shall be executed by the Fiscal and Appraisers to whom they shall be respectively directed, whether within or without the jurisdiction of the Judge issuing them. On the return of such citation, if the Widow, or Widower, or next of kin, of the deceased appears and applies for administration, and no opposition be made thereto, or if such opposition be made and overruled by the Court, then letters of administration (Form No. 8) with the Will annexed shall be granted to such Widow or Widower, or next of kin, on his or her giving bond (Form No. 9) with two good and sufficient sureties for the due execution of the Will (reference being had, in requiring such security, to the amount of the property returned by the appraisers) and on his or her taking the oath of administrator (Form No. 10). The security bond shall be given to the Secretary of the Court, who shall put the same in suit when directed by the Court so to do, and not otherwise. All such sureties shall be diligently and strictly examined by the Court, or by the Secretary under the direction of the Court, as to their sufficiency; and shall be required to make oath that they are severally worth the sum for which they are about to enter into security. If no next of kin shall appear, or if, having appeared and being opposed, the Court shall consider such opposition to be well founded, then letters of administration with the Will annexed shall be granted to the Secretary of the Court, provided he shall have given security as hereinafter directed, or to such other person as the District Judge shall think better fitted for the office.

6. If any person, on the point of death, or during his last illness, shall have declared in presence of two credible persons, his desire with respect to the disposition of the property which he

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may die possessed of; the oath or affidavit of his death shall be made, and the citation to the next of kin and commission of appraisement shall issue, as above directed. After the return of which, such Nuncupative Will having been committed to writing by the persons in whose presence it was declared, motion shall be made by the person named as Executor in such Nuncupative Will, or else by the party interested, that proof be taken of the said Will, which shall accordingly be verified by affidavit (Form No. 11). If such Nuncupative Will, so filed, be adjudged and declared by the Court, after hearing and considering any opposition which may be made thereto, good and valid, probate (Form No. 12) of the same shall then be granted to the Executor, if any, or else to the party interested, on his taking the oath, and giving security, as above directed.

6. If there be no Will, written or nuncupative, and the Widow or Widower or next of kin shall apply for administration, he or she shall file an Affidavit (Form No. 1) in the Court of the District in which the deceased shall have been domiciled, or in which he shall have died, as directed by the first Rule, stating the death of the Intestate, and that the deceased left property within the jurisdiction of the Court, or within any other District, as the case may be; and shall move for a citation and commission of appraisement, as above directed, which shall thereupon issue. The citation and commission being returned, and no opposition being made to the party applying for letters of administration, or if, being made, it shall be overruled by the Court, the person so applying shall give security and take the oath, as above also directed, whereupon letters of administration shall issue.

7. If there be no Will, and no Widow, Widower, or next of kin appear, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Court, on receiving notice of the death of such person, to obtain and file an affidavit of such death, and of the time and place thereof as above directed, from some person acquainted with the facts; whereupon the citation and commission of appraisement shall issue as before, but the commission shall give authority (Form No. 13) to the appraisers, care being taken in all cases that the appraisers are respectable and trustworthy persons, to take and keep possession of the property till further orders. And in case of a stranger to the District dying suddenly therein, or in any other case in which the property might be endangered by delay, the Court, on being informed thereof as hereinafter directed, or otherwise, shall forthwith issue a commission to such appraisers to take charge of the property, without waiting for the affidavit of death, or for any other preliminary form of proceeding. Such citation and commission being returned, and no Widow, Widower, or next of kin appearing within the time limited, letters of administration shall be granted to the Secretary of the Court, or to such other person as the District Judge shall appoint as above directed.

8. The Secretary of each District Court shall, either on receiving his appointment to that office, give good and sufficient security, to be approved of by the Judge of such Court, for the true and faithful administration of all Estates which shall be committed to

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his charge; or if he do not furnish such general security, he shall, before letters of administration are granted to him in any particular case, enter into bond with good and sufficient securities, as is provided by the 4th Rule, with respect to ordinary administrators, for the true and faithful administration of such Estate. Which bond shall be executed in favor of such officer of the Court or other person as the Judge shall direct, and shall be put in suit by such officer or other person, when directed by the Court so to do, and not otherwise.

9. In order to give more general force and effect to this branch of jurisdiction, it is directed that the several District Judges shall give orders to all Constables, Police Vidahns, or other Headmen, on whom that duty would properly fall, to give immediate notice to the Court of all deaths, which shall occur within their respective Towns, Villages, and Divisions, under pain, in default thereof, of such punishment as the Court shall consider adequate to the neglect. And if the person so dying shall be a stranger, or shall leave no friends or relatives in the place at which he shall so die, orders shall in like manner be given to such Constable, Police Vidahn, or Headman, to call in another officer of the same description; and they shall together inventorize and seal up the property so left, or otherwise secure it, for those who may ultimately be declared entitled to the same, or until further orders.

10. Executors and administrators shall be allowed to charge a commission of 5 per cent., as well on property not sold but retained by the heirs, as on property sold by such Executors or Administrators; but they shall only be allowed to charge 2½ per cent. on cash found in the Estate, and on property specifically bequeathed to Legatees. And in all cases in which, by the death of husband or wife, the community of goods between them has ceased, Executors and administrators shall be allowed to charge their commission only on the share of the person deceased, unless in special instances, in which it shall be made apparent to the Court that, in order to ascertain the share of the deceased, such unusual trouble has fallen upon such Executors and Administrators, as to entitle them, in the opinion of the Court, to receive a further remuneration.

11. In cases in which the deceased has left no Will, or Executors are not named, or have renounced their Trusts, and no person has applied for Administration, any creditor or creditors, who shall satisfy the Court by his or their statement, supported by documents or the affidavit of other persons, that the deceased was really and truly indebted to him or them, may apply for and obtain the usual citation and commission of appraisement: Which being returned, if no next of kin shall appear, or even if such shall appear, and the Court shall in such latter case be satisfied that the debts so established or sworn to amount in all to more than the value of the appraised property, in such case the Court shall and may, at its discretion, grant letters of administration to one or more of the principal Creditors, on his or their giving good and sufficient security (Form No. 14.) that he or they will duly administer the estate, and pay the debts fairly

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and justly, according to their respective degrees, without favor or partiality; or in equal proportions, if the estate should prove insufficient to satisfy all the debts in full; and on his or their taking the oath of administrator. Provided that no creditor receiving letters of administration as creditor, shall be entitled to any per-centage or commission on his administration.

12. If a person shall die leaving property within one or more Districts, other than that in which he shall have been domiciled before his death, the Judge of such District shall, on those facts being verified to his satisfaction, issue Letters ad Colligenda (Form No. 15) to one or more creditable persons, to take charge of such property until the same shall be claimed by the Executor, Administrator, or other person lawfully entitled to demand the same.

13. If it be intended to oppose a Will, a Caveat must be entered before Probate is granted: And allegations in support of the opposition must be filed, within one month after entering the Caveat; in default of which, proof of the Will shall be received as in ordinary cases.

14. If an Executor or Administrator shall fail to file his inventory or account, within the time prescribed by his bond or by his oath, the Secretary shall, immediately after such default made, report the same to the Court, and an order shall issue to such Executor or Administrator to appear on a day certain, and either file such inventory or account, or shew good and sufficient cause why he has not done so; and in default of so filing or shewing cause, he will be committed to Prison till he shall comply. Nor shall any prolongation of time be allowed for filing inventories or accounts, unless on strong grounds shewn, to the satisfaction of the Court. And in order to give the greater force and effect to this Rule, it is ordered that the Secretary, shall on every Monday, present to the Court a List of all Executors, Administrators, and Guardians, who shall have made default in filing any inventories or accounts, shewing the time at which the same ought respectively to have been filed, and what orders have already been made in each case.

15. Every inventory and account shall be delivered into Court, one week at least before it is sworn to, in order that the Secretary may examine the same. Every such account shall state distinctly the dates of all receipts and disbursements, and shall in all other respects be clear, distinct, and full. If such inventory or account shall be in proper form, and if such account be correct, the Executor or Administrator shall be sworn to such account, as the case may be.

16. If the Secretary observes any incorrectness or inaccuracy in such account, he shall point it out to such Executor or Administrator for correction; and if they disagree upon any point, it shall be referred to the Court, who shall decide the same, subject to appeal.

17. If any Executor or Administrator shall fail to pay over to the creditors, heirs, legatees, or other persons, the amount to which they are respectively entitled, within one year after probate or administration granted, such Executor or Ad-

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ministrator shall be liable to pay interest out of his own funds, for all sums which he shall retain in his own hands after that period; unless he can shew good and sufficient cause for such detention.

18. If any person shall die, leaving any child or children under the legal age of majority, without any natural guardian, and without having, by will or otherwise, provided for such guardianship, the Judge of the District in which such minors shall be so left, shall in the exercise of the authority in him vested by Law in that behalf, select and nominate such person to be guardian of such child or children, and of his, her, or their estate, as he shall consider most fit and proper for that office; reference being always had to the age, sex, and condition of such child or children; and taking good and sufficient security (Form No. 16) from such guardian, proportioned to the value of the estate, for the faithful and just execution of his office.

19. Every guardian of infants, whether appointed by the parents of such infants or by the Court, shall be required to file in Court, twice at least in each year, and oftener if there shall appear to the District Judge good reason for calling on him so to do, an account of his administration of the estate; and at the same time to submit for the inspection and consideration of the Court all mortgages, bonds, or other securities, on which the monies belonging to the said estate and under his charge, shall have been lent or placed out; subject to the same examinations and objections by the Court, in case of incorrectness, and to the same penalty for noncompliance, as is provided by the 14th and following Rules, respecting accounts of Executors and Administrators.

SECTION V.

MATRIMONIAL JURISDICTION.

It would be useless, and scarcely indeed practicable, to lay down any settled forms of Procedure in the exercise of a Jurisdiction, which must vary so frequently and so materially, according to the very different Laws affecting marriage, by which the various classes of His Majesty's Subjects in this Island are severally governed. It is therefore only considered necessary to remind the several District Judges, that in the execution of this branch of their authority, they must be guided in their proceedings by the peculiar code of Laws, or by those Customs and Usages, to which the parties to Matrimonial Litigation may respectively belong.

SECTION VI.

REVENUE JURISDICTION.

In the exercise of this branch of their Jurisdiction, District Judges will be guided by the same Rules which are prescribed for them in the exercise of their ordinary Civil and Criminal Jurisdictions, respectively; subject however to the provisions contained in the Regulation of Government No. 7 of 1809, or of any other Regulation in that behalf provided.

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SECTION VII.

RULES FOR SUMMONING AND IMPANELLING ASSESSORS.

1. All Persons who are now considered eligible to sit as Jurors in criminal cases, before the Supreme Court in the Maritime Provinces, and all Persons who are now considered eligible as Assessors in the Kandyan Provinces, shall from henceforth, unless and until further Rules shall be issued in that behalf, be considered eligible to sit as Assessors in the Supreme Court, in its appellate Jurisdiction and in all the Courts of the Districts, into which the Island, by Proclamation of the First of October, issued under the authority of His Majesty's said Charter, has been divided. Provided that the Fiscal of each and every of the said Districts shall be authorised, and he is hereby required, as soon as conveniently may be, from and after the promulgation of this Rule and Order, and from time to time hereafter, to add to the lists of such Assessors all such persons, being subjects of His Majesty, inhabiting the District, whether Natives of this Island or otherwise, and being of good character, of the full age of 21 years, and of free birth and condition, as he shall consider fit and eligible to sit as assessors.

2. Lists of all such Assessors shall be carefully kept in distinct castes or classes, as the lists of Jurors are at present; copies of which shall be transmitted from time to time, as the same shall be enlarged or amended, to the Registrar of the Supreme Court. Each Fiscal shall summon, from and out of one of his lists, nine persons, giving them (after the first month in which the District Courts shall come into operation) at least one month's notice, for every successive Monday in the year; which nine persons shall serve as Assessors in the District Court of that District till the end of the week. And each Fiscal shall so arrange his lists, taking each successive set of Assessors from a list different from the last, and shall so make his selections therefrom, with reference to the numbers contained in each list, that the duty shall fall equally upon all, and that, if possible, no person shall be called upon to serve a second time, before all the others shall have served in their turns.

3. Assessors shall be summoned in like manner, and under the same penalty for non-attendance, as Jurors are now summoned to attend the Supreme Court in its Criminal Jurisdiction: And if one or more of those summoned shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Fiscal, before the time for their attendance has arrived, or to the Court after that period, to be unable by sickness or other insuperable obstacle to attend, the Fiscal shall summon others to supply the places of such as shall be so prevented from attending.

4. And to prevent the loss of time which the several District Courts might, on the opening thereof, sustain from the non-atten-

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dance of Assessors for want of due notice, the respective Fiscals are hereby directed, as soon as they shall receive these Rules and Orders, to summon forthwith nine Assessors from the Burgher list, or from any other list from which Assessors may be selected, resident in or near the place where such District Court shall be holden, to serve during the week commencing Monday 7th of October, and so for the following Mondays, till the month's notice as above directed may be regularly given.

5. From the nine Assessors so summoned and in attendance, the District Judge shall direct the Secretary each day, on opening the Court, to draw from a box, as is now done for empanelling Juries in the Supreme Court, the names of three, who shall sit on all the proceedings of the Court, till changed by order of the Court: And on being so drawn and impanelled the following oath shall be administered to them severally.

'I do swear that I will faithfully and diligently attend to the proceedings of this Court, while acting as Assessor thereof; and that I will give a true and impartial opinion on every question which shall be referred to me.

SO HELP ME GOD."

6. No party to any suit shall be allowed to object to any Assessor, on the ground of caste or rank. Nor shall any challenge be allowed, except on the ground of direct interest, or near relationship to one of the parties. But if in any suit, all the parties thereto shall agree among themselves, that three persons, chosen by themselves, shall sit at the hearing of such case, as Assessors, in preference to those who may be in regular attendance; and if, when such case is called on for hearing, the parties shall produce such Assessors in Court, they being of good character and competent age, and expressing themselves willing to sit during the whole hearing of the case, the Judge shall and may admit them to act in that capacity. Provided always that if, in such case, the Assessors chosen by the parties shall not be in attendance, no postponement of the case shall be allowed on that ground, but the same shall be heard before three of the Assessors in attendance. Nor shall the attendance of any such extra Assessors be enforced by process of the Court or Fiscal; but they must appear voluntarily, at the request of the parties. Provided that, having once taken upon themselves to sit in any case, they shall not be allowed to leave the Court, till such case is decided, or till the Court adjourns.

7. In order to ensure, as far as is practicable, the entire hearing of each case before the same set of Assessors, it is ordered that no case be entered into on any Friday or Saturday, which the District Judge may not reasonably expect, from the nature of it and the number of witnesses, to bring

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to a conclusion before the rising of the Court on the Saturday. Provided always that this Rule shall not be applied to criminal cases under investigation, previously to commitment for trial before the Supreme Court.

8. Those sentences, judgments, orders, and questions, on which the District Judges are to take the opinions of the Assessors, and the mode in which those opinions are to be delivered and recorded, are defined by the 30th Clause of the Charter.

IN THE SUPREME COURT. *(a)*

1. At any Session to be holden by the Supreme Court at any place on Circuit, due notice of which will be published in the Gazette, the Criminal business will first be gone through: At the conclusion of which, nine Assessors shall be drawn from any one of the classes, on whom the duty of sitting as Jurors on the Criminal cases of that Session shall have fallen most lightly. Or, if it should happen that there is more appellate business than would probably be finished in one week, two or more sets of nine shall in like manner be drawn from two or more classes: And the rest of the Jurors shall then be dismissed. From this set of nine, or from one of such sets, the Registrar or Deputy Registrar shall draw the names of three, who shall be impanelled and sworn in manner directed by the 5th Rule in that behalf, respecting District Courts; and may be challenged, but only for the same causes, as directed by the 6th Rule. Provided also that the Appellant and Respondent in any case shall be at liberty, by mutual consent, to produce Assessors to sit on the hearing thereof, subject to the same conditions as are imposed in that behalf by the 6th Rule above mentioned.

2. At Colombo, where the business in appeal will not wait for the time of holding the Criminal Session, but will be proceeded in at once as it arises, a mandate will issue to the Fiscal from time to time to summon nine Assessors, to attend the Sitting of the Supreme Court, on the day and for the term specified in such mandate. And they shall be taken from the class to which, in rotation, the next summons would have issued for attendance at the District Court, and which class shall therefore be omitted for that turn of service in the District Court.

(a) The two following Rules, though not relating to the practice of District Courts, are inserted here to save repetitions of those provisions which apply to the Supreme Court as well as to the District Courts.

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SECTION VIII.

RULES OF PROCEEDING IN APPEALS FROM THE DISTRICT COURTS TO THE SUPREME COURT;— IN CIVIL MATTERS.

1. Every party, intending to appeal from any judgment, decree, sentence, or order of any District Court, shall, within ten days after the same shall have been pronounced, file his petition of appeal (Form No. 1) in such District Court; in which ten days, neither the day of pronouncing the judgment, decree, sentence, or order, nor the day on which the Petition of appeal is filed, nor any Sunday intervening between these two days, shall be reckoned.

2. Such petition may either state fully the grounds of appeal, or if the appellant prefers it, he may content himself with averring generally that the judgment or order is contrary to Law. Provided always that in case of an appeal being prosecuted in Formâ Pauperis, the petition of appeal shall state fully the grounds of such appeal, and shall be transmitted, together with the proceedings as hereinafter directed, to the Supreme Court; who will forthwith take the same into consideration, and decide upon the appeal, unless, (if the case be from a Court out of the District of Colombo) the Supreme Court shall see good ground for deferring such decision till the next Session on Circuit.

3. Within 20 days from the day of pronouncing the judgment or order appealed against, to be computed in manner directed by the first Rule, the appellant shall give security, as hereinafter directed, for the due prosecution of his appeal, for the performance of the judgment which may ultimately be pronounced by the Supreme Court, and for the payment of all costs which may ultimately be awarded. Provided that no security shall be required on any appeal from any Interlocutory order. And provided also that in case of an appeal being prosecuted in Formâ Pauperis, no security shall be required from such appellant.

4. The security to be required from a party appellant shall be by bond (Form No. 2), with one or more good and sufficient security or securities, or by way of mortgage of immoveable property, being of the full value of the subject of litigation, over and above all previous mortgages or charges affecting the same; or by depositing in Court the amount in dispute, together with a sum sufficient to cover the costs in appeal. If the subject of litigation consist of moveable property, money, or any debt, or personal demand, the amount of security required shall be the value of such property, money, debt, or demand, with interest and costs, as well those incurred in the original suit, as those which will be incurred by the appeal. If the subject of litigation consist of immoveable property, and the judgment or order appealed from do not change, affect, or relate to the actual occupation thereof, no security shall be demanded for the performance of the judgment which may ultimately be pronounced by the Supreme Court, but only for the costs: But if such judgment or order do change, affect, or relate to the actual

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occupation of such immoveable property, then security shall be taken, sufficient to ensure the restitution, free from all damage or loss, of such property and of the intermediate profit which may be expected to accrue from the occupation thereof pending appeal, and also sufficient to cover the costs as above directed; and to no greater amount.

5. Any party appellant, who shall fail to file his petition of appeal, and to give such security, within the periods for those purposes respectively limited, shall not be allowed his appeal, unless it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the District Court, that such omission was not imputable to any negligence or delay on the part of such appellant; in which case, the matter shall be referred to the Supreme Court, to decide on the allowance or rejection of such appeal.

6. But as it may sometimes happen that a party, having good cause of appeal, may yet be unable to furnish security for the full amount of the subject of litigation, it is hereby provided that if any such appellant shall give good security to answer the costs which may be incurred by the Respondent, he shall be permitted to carry on his appeal, but without any stay of execution, which shall proceed in like manner as if no petition of appeal had been filed, unless and until such appellant shall give full security as provided by the 4th Rule; in which case execution shall be stayed from the time of such security being given, till the decision of the case in appeal, as in ordinary cases.

7. And as the stay of execution, pending appeal, affords an opportunity to dishonest debtors, against whom judgments have been obtained, of defrauding their creditors by alienating their property, while the case is pending in appeal, so that when such judgments are affirmed, there often remains nothing to satisfy them: It is therefore ordered that whenever final judgment is given against a party in any District Courts, execution may forthwith issue against the property of such party, which property may be seized and sequestered but shall not be removed or sold, and shall be kept in safe custody till the time for appealing is expired; and in case of appeal, till the decision of the Supreme Court thereupon: But if no appeal be entered, then such property shall be sold or otherwise dealt with, as in other cases of execution.

8. Provided that if the party appellant shall, at the time the execution shall be so moved for, tender good and sufficient security to the requisite amount as directed by the 4th Rule, two days' notice having been given to the party Respondent of the day on which such security would be tendered in Court, in order that such Respondent may have an opportunity of questioning the solvency, and objecting to the sufficiency thereof, (of which solvency and sufficiency the District Judge shall decide without appeal); in such case, no execution shall issue, till after the decision of the Supreme Court.

9. In order the better to enable the Supreme Court to carry into effect the directions contained in the 50th clause of the Charter, It is ordered that when the appellant in any District

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Court contained within either of the three Circuits, shall enter into the security hereinbefore required, or at some previous time, such appellant, and the Respondent also, shall be asked by the Court whether they wish that the case should be considered and decided by all the Judges collectively at Colombo, or by the single Judge thereof on the next Circuit; and the answers of the respective parties shall be noted down on the petition of appeal, and shall be signed by the parties, and attested by the Secretary of the Court.

10. As soon as possible after the necessary preliminary steps shall have been gone through, the proceedings in the case appealed shall be transmitted to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, whether the desire of the parties or either of them be that the appeal should be considered and decided at Colombo, or on Circuit. And the proceedings shall be accompanied by a Certificate (Form No. 8) from the Secretary of the District Court, stating the dates of the institution and decision of the case, in whose favour it was decided, the respective days on which the Petition of Appeal was filed and Security, when necessary, was given, and shall also state if either party sued or defended in formâ pauperis.

11. In order to enable the Supreme Court to understand the proceedings in each case with greater facility, and to see whether those proceedings have been regularly conducted, it is ordered that the Secretary of every District Court shall note in legible characters, at the top of every pleading and of every document of whatsoever description, which shall be filed in the case, the day on which it was so filed; and with respect to documents, the party by whom filed. The proceedings shall be arranged in their order with reference to their respective dates: And before any case is sent up in appeal to the Supreme Court, a short summary or abstract of every step taken by the parties, or of every order made by the Court, with the respective dates thereof, but without incumbering the summary or abstract by repeating the names of the parties or of the Judge at each day's proceeding, shall be prefixed to the record.

ON APPEALS FROM SENTENCES OF THE DISTRICT COURTS IN CRIMINAL MATTERS.

1. Any party, wishing to appeal from such sentence of any District Court, may declare such wish orally to the District Judge at the time of conviction; in which case the District Judge shall enter upon the proceedings the application of such prisoner or defendant, and the grounds of such application, and no other form of proceeding shall be necessary; or such prisoner or defendant may at any time, within 10 days after such conviction, transmit to the District Judge a Petition of Appeal, stating the grounds of such application. And all Gaolers and other persons, having the custody of a prisoner so convicted, are hereby directed and enjoined to transmit to the District Judges

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respectively, without delay, all petitions of appeal which shall be presented to them for that purpose.

2. On the arrival of the Judge of the Supreme Court, at each place on Circuit, at which he shall hold a Criminal Session, due notice whereof will be previously given in the Gazette, the proceedings of every case, in which an appeal shall have been so entered, shall be laid before the Judge, together with any petitions which the prisoners or defendants so appealing may have presented in support of their appeals; in order that the Supreme Court may proceed upon and decide such appeals, in manner directed by His Majesty's Charter. And on the Monday preceding the opening of any Criminal Session at Colombo, such proceedings and petitions shall in like manner be laid before the Judge who is to hold such Criminal Session.

CHARLES MARSHALL (L. S.)
Chief Justice.

W. ROUGH (L. S.)
Senior Puisne Justice.

W. NORRIS (L. S.)
Junior Puisne Justice.

COLOMBO, OCTOBER 1ST, 1833.

BY ORDER

W. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

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No. 1.

Plaintiff *agt.* Defendant. } In the District Court of

The Libel of [by his Proctor *(a)*] Sheweth That

Wherenpon the said prays that

and for such other relief as the Court shall deem meet.

[Signature of the Plaintiff or his Proctor.]

(a) These words to be omitted if the plaintiff appear in person. The same omission will of course be made in all other Forms of proceeding when the party appears in person.

No. 2.

Plaintiff *agt.* Defendant. } In the District Court of

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Summon defendant

to appear before this Court on the

day of at o'clock to answer

of plaintiff

in a suit to

whereof the said plaintiff has filed his libel in this Court and have you there this Summons.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

By virtue of this Summons I have caused the said to be summoned as herein directed and as appears by the oath of the Officer who served the same hereunto annexed.

makes oath that he did serve the within Summons on the person of the defendant.

on the day of last.

I hereby Certify that the within named Defendant is not to be found in this District.

Fiscal.

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No. 3.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Arrest and seize

the above named defendant and keep him safely so that you have his body before this Court forthwith to answer plaintiff in a suit for

whereof the said Plaintiff has filed his Libel in this Court unless and until the said defendant shall give you good and sufficient security to appear and answer the plaintiff'ssaid Libel, and to abide by and perform the judgment of this Court, or to surrender himself or be surrendered to be charged in execution for the same; and on his giving such security you are hereby authorized to discharge the said Defendant, and have here this Mandate on the return day thereof.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

By virtue of this Mandate I have arrested and seized the body of the defendant and [have him ready to be produced in Court] or [have released him on security the bond of which I herewith return to this Court.]

Fiscal.

No. 4.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

Know all men by these presents that we and are held and firmly bound

in the sum of £ for the payment of which we bind ourselves jointly and severally, our Heirs, Executors, and Administrators firmly by these presents.

The Condition of this obligation is such that if the above bounden do appear before this District Court on the day of to answer to a suit for

Then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and 0
delivered in Court 0
day of 0

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No. 5.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

Know all Men by these presents that we
and are held and firmly bound

in the sum of £ for the payment of which we bind ourselves jointly and severally, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents

The Condition of this obligation is such that if the above bounden do appear before this District Court on the day of to answer to in a suit for and shall pay any sum or sums of money which shall be awarded by the Court, and shall abide by and perform the Judgment of the Court, or shall surrender himself or be surrendered by his Bail abovenamed to be charged in execution, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and 0
delivered in Court this 0
day of 0

No. 6.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Receive into your Custody the Body of
taken under a Warrant of Arrest (in mesne process) dated
at the suit of and keep him safely until he give good and sufficient security in the sum of £ to stand and abide the Judgment of the Court in the premises, and pay all such sum or sums of money as shall be decreed, or surrender himself to be charged in Execution.

No. 7.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Release from your Custody the Body of
taken at the suit of under Warrant of Arrest in
mesne Process dated the or (taken under Warrant of
Arrest in Execution dated the) if for no other cause detained

Dated

By order of Court,

Secretary.

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No. 8.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

The answer of the defendant to the Libel of the plaintiff [by his Proctor *(a)*] Sheweth that

Whereupon the said defendant doth pray and for such other relief as the Court shall deem meet.

[Signature of the Defendant or his Proctor.]

(a) To be omitted, if the defendant appears in person.

No. 9.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

The Replication of the Plaintiff to the answer of the Defendant—Sheweth

That

Whereupon the said Plaintiff prays the judgment of the Court as by his Libel he has already prayed.

[Signature of the Plaintiff or his Proctor.]

No. 10.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

On the motion of Proctor for the Plaintiff and on reading the return of the Fiscal to the Summons issued in this case on the day of last, It is ordered that the defendant do on day of next shew cause why he should not be arrested for default of appearance.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

No. 11.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Whereas cited to appear in this Court on the day of to answer to in a suit for £ whereof the said has filed a Libel in this Court, has not appeared in obedience to the said citation,

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You are therefore to arrest the body of the said and safely keep him so that you may have him before this Court forthwith to answer the said Libel; unless and until the said defendant shall give good and sufficient security so to appear and answer. And have you here this Mandate.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

By virtue of this Mandate I have arrested and seized the body of the defendant [and have him ready to be produced in Court] or [have released him on security the bond of which I herewith return to the Court.]

No. 12.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

On the motion of Proctor for the Plaintiff, It is hereby notified to the above named defendant that if he do not file his answer to the libel of the said plaintiff on or before the day of next, the Secretary of this Court will be directed to enter a general denial for the defendant, and the plaintiff will be entitled to proceed ex parte.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

No. 13.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Whereas you have returned to a Citation issued against the above named defendant on the day of last in this suit that he was not to be found within this District. And whereas the plaintiff above named has verified his demand to the satisfaction of this Court, You are therefore commanded to seize and sequester the Houses, Lands, Goods, Monies, securities for money, and debts of the said defendant to the value of £ wheresoever or in whose custody soever the same may be within this District and to retain and secure the same till the Defendant shall appear and abide the order of this Court or until you receive further directions from this Court herein, And to give due notice in writing to all persons in whose possession or power such property of the defendant, whether moveable or immoveable, shall be of this sequestration and requiring them to reserve and retain the same and all issues, rents, profits and interests accruing

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therefrom, to abide the order of this Court. And that you do on the day of next inform this Court what property you shall have seized and sequestered, with the true value of the same, and in whose possession the same respectively were at the time of seizure, and have you there this Mandate.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

By virtue of this Mandate I have seized and sequestered the property of the defendant specified in the annexed Schedule.

Fiscal.

No. 14.

Seize and sequester property of the within named defendant to the further amount of £ in manner and form as you were hereby before directed.

To *Fiscal.*

Judge.

No. 15.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

On the motion of
Proctor for the defendant, It is ordered that the above-named Plaintiff do on day of next shew cause why this action should not be dismissed with costs for default by the said Plaintiff [of filing his List of Witnesses] *(a)*

By order of Court,

Secretary.

(a) or [of setting the case down for hearing within one month after issue joined]

No. 16.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

On the motion of
Proctor for the Plaintiff, It is ordered that the said Plaintiff be at liberty to proceed ex parte to the hearing of this case (the Defendant having made default in filing his List of Witnesses) unless the said Defendant shall shew good and sufficient cause to the contrary on or before the day of next.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

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No. 17.

Plaintiff *agt.* Defendant. } In the District Court of

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Summon

of to appear before the District Court of on the day of at 9 o'clock of the morning to testify all such matters as may know touching a suit pending in the said Court between the abovementioned parties at the instance of the said under penalty, for non-attendance, of forfeiting to our Lord the King the sum of £5 and of all other pains and forfeitures which will ensue from such disobedience.

And further that the said do bring with the following

By order of Court,

Secretary.

I hereby certify that a copy of the above Subpœna has been served upon the said as appears by the oath of the Officer hereunto annexed.

Fiscal.

makes oath that he did serve a copy of the the day of last.

No. 18.

Plaintiff *agt.* Defendant. } In the District Court of

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Whereas it appears by your return to a certain Subpœna, issued in this case at the instance of the above named that named in the said Subpœna was duly served with a copy thereof but failed to appear in obedience thereto. You are therefore to seize and arrest the said and bring him before this Court forthwith in order that he may undergo the penalties legally awarded against him for such contempt and disobedience.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

No. 19.

Plaintiff *agt.* Defendant. } In the District Court of

To

The Fiscal of the District Court of

Levy and make of the houses, lands, goods, debts and credits of the above named by seizure, and if necessary

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by sale thereof, the sum of £ which has recovered against the said by a judgment of this Court bearing date the day of and have that money before this Court on the day of to render to the said and inform this Court for what sum or sums, and to what person or persons, you have sold the said property respectively and have you there this Mandate.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

By virtue of the within Writ of Execution I have recovered by the sum of which amount I have

Fiscal.

No. 20.

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Seize and take of and keep him safely so that you have his body before this Court forthwith to satisfy the sum of £ which the said recovered against by a judgment dated the day of last.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

By virtue of the within Writ of Execution I have taken the within named and I have him ready to be produced before the Court.

Fiscal.

No. 21.

Plaintiff
agt. } In the District Court of
Defendant.

To

The Fiscal of the District of

Receive into your custody the body of taken under a Warrant of Arrest in Execution dated at the suit of to satisfy a decree of this Court dated for the sum of £ and interest from to the day of payment and costs of suit

Dated

By order of Court,

Secretary.

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No. 22.

In the District Court of

affirms and avers that he is not possessed of any Lands, Money, Goods or other property which would enable him to prosecute *(a)* his action against save and except the following which do not exceed in value the sum of £5

Signed

The day of 18

List of the Applicant's property above referred to

(a) or "to defend," as the case may be.

No. 23.

In the District Court of

and severally make oath and say that they are well acquainted with and his circumstances, and to the best of their knowledge and belief the statement which he has made touching his property is true.

Sworn in Court this day of 18

Section II.—Criminal Jurisdiction.

The Forms requisite for this branch of jurisdiction are not referred to in the Rules of Procedure for that branch; those Rules being merely of a general nature, and not pursuing the course of proceeding through its different stages. The following Forms, however, which are adapted from those now in use in the Sitting Magistrate's Court of Colombo, may probably be found of service in some of the District Courts; and the introduction of them here will, at all events, tend to produce uniformity of practice.

No. 1.

Criminal Jurisdiction } In the District Court of

You are hereby directed to appear before the District Court of at o'clock in the morning of the day of to answer to a Complaint of

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By order

Secretary.

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No. 2.

Criminal Jurisdiction } In the District Court of

You are hereby directed to appear before the District Court of at o'clock on the morning of the day of to give evidence in the case of against under a penalty of £5 in case of disobedience.

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By order

Secretary.

No. 3.

Criminal Jurisdiction } In the District Court of

To

The Fiscal of

Take into custody the body of charged with contempt of Court for not appearing on the to an order of the and send before me on or before the

Given under my hand this 18

No. 4.

By

In the District of

To the Fiscal of

Whereas stands charged before me with

This is therefore in His Majesty's name to require you to keep him the said in your custody and to send before me for further examination.

Given under my hand this day of 18

No. 5.

Be it remembered that on the day of in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and came before me District Judge of and acknowledged to be indebted to our Lord the King in the sum of £ that is to say the said in the sum of £ and the securities in £ each to be made and levied of their Goods, Chattels, Lands and Tenements respectively to the use of our Lord The King, His Heirs and Succesors

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The Condition of the foregoing Recognizance is such that if the above bounden shall peaceably demean himself and be of good behaviour towards all His Majesty's Liege subjects, and especially towards for the space of from the date of the said Recognizance then this Recognizance shall be void or else remain in its full force.

In presence of

No. 6.

Be it remembered that on the day of 18 came before me District Judge of and acknowledged to be indebted to our Lord The King in the sum of to be made and levied of his Goods, Chattels, Lands and Tenements to the use of our Lord The King, His Heirs and Successors

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bounden shall appear before the District Court of on the day of and give evidence on the prosecution.

Then this Recognizance shall be void or else remain in its full force.

Signed in presence of

No. 7.

By Esquire
District Judge of

To

Take into custody the body of of charged on the oath of with stealing property belonging to the said and bring him before me forthwith.

Given under my Hand and Seal this

No. 8.

By Esq. District Judge of

To
Constable of

Whereas information upon oath has been given before me that of has been robbed of and whereas there has been offered to me strong grounds for believing that one of has been concerned in the said robbery, I do hereby authorize you to apprehend the said to search his dwelling House and out offices for and if you find any such to bring it and the said before me to be dealt with according to Law.

Given under my Hand and Seal this day of

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No. 9.

By Esq. District Court of

To

Search the House and Premises of of or for stolen property belonging to to be pointed out by him as appears in the annexed Affidavit, and bring the same, if any be found, before me forthwith together with said to be dealt with according to Law.

Given under my hand and Seal this 18

No. 10

Criminal }
Jurisdiction }
In the District Court of

To

The Fiscal of

The KING
Vs.

Whereas

stands charged before me with and fled from Justice.

You are hereby directed to seize and sequester the property, moveable and immoveable, of the said and keep them under sequestration till the said shall come or render himself amenable to justice by being apprehended, or by voluntary surrender or submitting himself to be tried for the crime he stands charged with, and return must be made forthwith, what you have done in the premises.

Given under my Hand and Seal this 183

No 11.

By

To

The Fiscal of Colombo

Be it remembered that was brought before me on the 183 charged with being a suspected person or vagrant, lurking in my jurisdiction, without any ostensible means of livelihood and unable to give a satisfactory account of himself.

And whereas upon information given to me on oath of Constable and on the oath of the said there appears to me reason to suppose that the said is an idle and disorderly person—I do hereby sentence the said to be employed in repairing the public roads or any other public works until the said shall perform one of the following Conditions:—

1st. Shall procure two Securities, in the sum of £7—10—each, to keep the peace for twelve Calendar months.

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2d. Or some credible person shall agree to entertain him in his service.

3d. Or until I shall be satisfied from his deportment in Custody or other circumstances that he will of himself take to some service or employment so as to obtain an honest livelihood, in any of which cases he shall be brought before me and discharged.

This is therefore in His Majesty's name to require and command you to carry the said sentence into effect.

Given under my hand this . 183

No. 12

By Esq. District Judge of

To

The Fiscal of

Be it remembered that stands convicted before me on the oath of and others with having in his possession stolen property knowing the same to be stolen

Now I the said have sentenced the said to receive and to be imprisoned at hard labour for This is therefore in his Majesty's name to require you to cause the sentence to be carried into execution.

Given under my Hand this

No. 13.

By Esq. District Judge of

To

The Fiscal of

Whereas stand charged before me on the oaths of and others with

This is therefore in His Majesty's name to command you that this said to keep in custody for Trial before the Honble the Supreme Court till discharged by due course of Law.

Given under my Hand and Seal, this

Witnesses for the Crown.

Prisoner's Witnesses.

Section III.—Jurisdiction over Idiots &c.

There does not appear to be any necessity for providing any Forms for this branch of jurisdiction of the District Courts.

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No. 1.

In the District Court of

Testamentary }
Jurisdiction. }

maketh oath and sayeth that he knew and was well acquainted with the abovementioned when alive. That prior to his death the said resided at and died at on or about the day of leaving property as this deponent verily believeth within the jurisdiction of this Court.

Sworn in Court this
Before me

No. 2.

In the District Court of

Testamentary }
Jurisdiction. }

and make oath and say that they were personally present at on or about the day of and saw the said subscribe name to the writing now produced and shewn to these deponents and publish and declare the same as and for last Will and Testament, and that in testimony thereof, at the request and in the presence of the said Testator, and in the presence of each other, they also subscribed their names thereto as Witnesses, and that the same subscribed to the said writing is of the hand-writing of the said deceased, and that the names also subscribed are respectively of the hand-writing of these deponents. And these deponents lastly make oath and say that the said at the time of so subscribing his name to the said writing, was to all appearance, and as these deponents verily believe, of sound mind, memory and understanding.

Sworn in Court this
Before me

No. 3.

In the District Court of

Testamentary }
Jurisdiction. }

You swear that you believe the writing now produced to you bearing date the day of and marked to be the Last Will and Testament of deceased. That you are the Executors therein named That you will faithfully execute the said Will by paying the debts and legacies of the deceased as far as the property will extend and the Law binds you ; That you will exhibit into this Court

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a true full and perfect Inventory of all the property, moveable and immoveable, and all the rights and credits of the deceased on or before the day of and that you will file a true account of your Executorship on or before the day of

Sworn in Court this
Before me

No. 4.

In the District Court of

Testamentary }
Jurisdiction: }

Be it known to all men that on the day of in the year the last Will and Testament of deceased, a copy of which is hereunto annexed, was exhibited, read and proved before the Court and administration of all the property and estate, rights and credits of the deceased was and is hereby committed to

the Executor in the said Last Will and Testament named;

being first sworn faithfully to execute the said Will by paying the debts and legacies of the deceased as far as the property will extend and the Law will bind, and also to exhibit into this Court a true full and perfect Inventory of the said property on or before the day of and to file a true and just account of Executorship on or before the day of

Given under the Seal of the District Court of this day of

Witness

Judge.

No. 5.

Reserving nevertheless to this Court full power and authority to grant like Probate and Administration to the other Executor named in the Will whenever shall duly appear before this Court and sue for the same.

No. 6.

In the District Court of

Testamentary }
Jurisdiction. }

To The Fiscal of Greeting

Cite or cause to be cited the lawful next of kin of late of deceased, and all other persons who may have in their possession any Wills or Codicils of the deceased to appear before this Court on the day of at nine o'clock in the morning, and to bring such Wills or Codicils if any, or if none that the said next of kin do accept or refuse Letters of Administration of the Estate

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of the deceased, or otherwise do shew cause why administration should not be granted to the Secretary of this Court or to such other person as the Court shall consider fit. In default of which appearance and cause shewn this Court will proceed to grant Letters of Administration to the said Secretary or other person as aforesaid.

By order of Court

Secretary.

By virtue of this Mandate I have cited the lawful next of kin of the within named late of deceased, and all other persons as within directed.

Fiscal.

No. 7.

In the District Court of

Testamentary Jurisdiction.

To and

Know ye that you and each of you are hereby fully empowered and authorized by the oaths of lawful men, and by such other ways and means, whereby the same may best be known, to ascertain the value of the property and estate, rights and credits of the said deceased, and the same so ascertained to certify to this Court under your hands on or before the day of

Given under the Seal of the District Court of this day of

Witness

Judge.

The Return to this Commission appears by the Schedule hereunto annexed marked which Schedule we severally swear is a true and just list of appraisement of all the property and estate, rights and credits of deceased.

Sworn in Court this

Before me

No. 8.

In the District Court of

Testamentary Jurisdiction.

To (*a*) of deceased

Whereas lately departed this life leaving a Will which has been duly proved in this Court, And whereas no Executor is named in that Will, You are therefore fully empowered and authorized by these presents to administer

(*a*) Widow, Widower, or next of kin or Secretary of the Court.

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and faithfully dispose of the property and estate, rights and credits of the said deceased, and to demand and recover whatever debts may belong to Estate and to pay whatever debts the said deceased did owe, and also the Legacies contained in the said Will, so far as such property and estate, rights and credits shall extend, you having been already sworn well and faithfully to administer the same and to render a true and perfect Inventory of all the said property and estate, rights and credits, to this Court on or before the day of next; and also a true and a just account of your administration thereof on or before the day of next. And you are therefore by these presents deputed and constituted Administrator with the Will annexed of all the property and estates, rights and credits of the said deceased.

Given under the Seal of the District Court of
this day of

No. 9.

In the District Court of

Testamentary }
Jurisdiction }

Know all Men by these presents that we
and are held and firmly bound unto
Secretary of the District Court of [or
to the Secretary of that Court for the time being] the said
in the sum of £ and the said
and in the sum of £ each, for which
payment well and truly to be made to the said
or to the said Secretary for the time being, we and each of us do
hereby bind ourselves, our Heirs, Executors, and Administrators
firmly by these presents hereby renouncing

Whereas by order of this Court of the
day of it is ordered that Letters of Administration
of the property and estate, rights and credits of the said
deceased, be granted to the said
on his giving security for the due administration thereof,
And whereas the estate of the said deceased has been appraised
and valued at the sum of £

Now the condition of this obligation is that if the
above bounden do render into this Court
a true and perfect Inventory of all the property and estate, rights
and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the
possession or knowledge of the said
or of any other person for him on or be-
fore the day of and shall well and truly
administer the same according to Law and further shall render to
this Court a true and just account of his said administration on
or before the day of next and shall deliver and
pay over the rest and residue of the said property and estate,
rights and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said

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administration to the person or persons lawfully entitled to the same, then this obligation to be void and of none effect, otherwise to remain in full force. 0

Signed, sealed and delivered 0

in Court this day of 0

NOTE.—If the administrator instead of sureties should mortgage property by way of Security, the form can easily be altered by omitting what relates to the sureties and inserting the usual clause of hypothecation.

No. 10.

In the District Court of

Testamentary Jurisdiction

You swear that you believe the writing now produced to you bearing date the day of and marked to be the Last Will and Testament of deceased, That you will faithfully execute the said Will by paying the debts and legacies of the deceased as far as the property will extend and the law bind, That you will exhibit into this Court a true full and perfect Inventory of all the property, moveable and immoveable and all the rights and credits of the deceased on or before the day of And that you will file a true account of your Executorship on or before the day of

Sworn in Court this

Before me

No. 11.

In the District Court of

Testamentary Jurisdiction

and severally make oath and say that they these deponents were on or about the day of at about o'clock of the personally present at where since deceased then lay dangerously ill, of which sickness the said on or about the day since died, And that they the said deponents did then and there hear the said deceased make Nuncupative Will by word of mouth in the words following or to the like effect [insert here the declaration of the deceased.]

And these deponents further make oath and say that the said spoke those words with an intent as they these deponents verily believe that the same

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should stand and be taken for Last Will and Testament. And that the said at the time of making said Nuncupative Will was to all outward appearance and as they these deponents verily believe of sound mind, memory and understanding.

Sworn in Court this

Before me

No. 12.

In the District Court of

Testamentary } Jurisdiction }

The form of Probate of Nuncupative Wills may easily be adapted from that of ordinary Wills (Form No. 4) by inserting the word "Nuncupative" after the words "Last Will and Testament": And, if no Executor be named in the Nuncupative Will, substituting the words "Administrator appointed by the Court" for the words "Executor in the said Last Will and Testament named."

No. 13.

And you are further hereby empowered, authorized and required to take charge and possession of the said property and Estate, rights and credits of the said deceased and to keep the same under your charge and possession till further orders

[This clause is to be inserted in the Commission of Appraisement, Form No. 7. in cases in which no Executor or next of kin &c. appear.]

No. 14.

In the District Court of

Testamentary } Jurisdiction }

[The obligatory part of the bond may be the same as Form No. 9.]

Whereas by order of this Court of the day of it is ordered that Letters of Administration of the property and estate, rights and credits of the said deceased be granted to the said of the creditors of the said deceased on giving security as hereinafter provided,

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Now the Condition of this obligation is that if the above bounden

do render into this Court a true and perfect Inventory of all the property and estate, rights and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the possession or knowledge of the said
or of any other person for on or before the day of and shall well and truly administer the same according to Law and pay the debts fairly and justly according to their respective degrees without favor or partiality or in equal proportions if the Estate should prove insufficient to satisfy all the debts in full, and further shall render to this Court a true and just account of said Administration on or before day of next and shall deliver and pay over the rest and residue if any of the said property and Estate, rights and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administration to the person or persons lawfully entitled to the same. Then this obligation to be void and of none effect otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, Sealed and delivered
in Court this day of

No. 15.

In the District Court of

Testamentary Jurisdiction.

To and

Whereas it has been verified to this Court that
late of died leaving property within this District, You and each of you are hereby empowered and authorized to take, collect, demand and receive all and every the said property and the Rents issues and profits thereof and safely to keep the same until the administration thereof be granted in due form of Law to such person or persons as shall appear entitled to the same or until you receive further orders from this Court in that behalf.

By order of Court,

Secretary.

No. 16.

In the District Court of

Testamentary Jurisdiction.

[The obligatory part the same as that of No. 9.]

Whereas by order of this Court of the day of
last the said was nominated Guardian
of the person and Estate
minor, the value of which estate amounts to £

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Now therefore the condition of this obligation is that if the shall duly and faithfully execute his said office of Guardian and shall well and truly apply the interests rents and profits of the said estate or so much as may be necessary for the maintenance and education of the said Minor and shall have the principal thereof to be paid to on attaining full age and shall duly account for all sums received and disbursed and shall render true accounts to this Court of all such receipts and disbursements twice in every year or oftener if called upon so to do then this obligation to be void and of none effect otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, Sealed and delivered
in Court this day of

———o———

Section V.—Matrimonial Jurisdiction.

No Forms seem necessary for this branch of Jurisdiction.

———o———

Section VI.—Revenue Jurisdiction.

The Forms in this branch of Jurisdiction will be the same as in the ordinary Civil and Criminal Jurisdictions respectively, except where particular Forms are prescribed by any Regulation of Government.

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Section VII.—Assessors.

Any Forms which may be necessary for the purpose of summoning and enforcing the attendance of Assessors may be adapted from those now in use in the Supreme Court with respect to Jurors.

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Section VIII.—Appeal.

No. 1.

In the District Court of

Plaintiff
agt.
Defendant.

To

The Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon.

The Petition of Appeal of the and Appellant, Sheweth.

That the above suit was instituted [here state

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the grounds of Appeal, which may be done in general terms, except in cases of a pauper Appellant who must state his reasons at length.]

Wherefore the said Appellant prays that the said judgment may be reversed with costs.

No. 2.

In the District Court of

Appellant
agt.
Respondent.

Know all Men by these presents that we

and

are held and firmly bound jointly and severally to

in the sum of £ for the payment of which

we bind ourselves jointly, and severally our respective Heirs, Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents.

Now the condition of this obligation is such that if the above bounden
shall duly prosecute the appeal which he has instituted against the decree of the District Court of passed on the day of now last in the suit above mentioned and shall well and truly perform and abide by the judgment which shall ultimately be pronounced by the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon, and shall pay any sum or sums of money which the said Supreme Court shall decree to be paid by the said Appellant, and shall pay all costs, as well those incurred and taxed in the said District Court as those which shall be incurred and taxed in prosecution of the said Appeal if the said Appellant shall be decreed to pay the same, Then this obligation to be void and of none effect.

NOTE.—The terms of the bond may be altered according to the stipulations into which the Appellant may be required to enter as pointed out by the 4th and 6th Rules, and also according to the nature of the security offered and accepted.

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No. 3.

Certificate in Appeal.

In the District Court of

No. [ ] Plaintiffs *(a)* and

against

[ ] Defendants *(a)* and

I the undersigned Secretary do certify that this suit was instituted before this Court on the day of and that on the day of a *(b)* Decree was passed therein in favour of the above named and Respondents; That on the day of the lodged a Petition of Appeal, which Petition is herewith transmitted together with the said decree and *(c)* [the proceedings. And that on the day of the said Appellant gave security] as required by the Rules and Orders in that behalf.

Dated at the day of

Secretary.

(a) If the appellant sue or defend in Forma Pauperis that circumstance should be here stated.

(b) Final or Interlocutory as the case may be.

(c) If the appeal be in Forma Pauperis, omit the words between [ ] and insert the following words (the summary of the grounds thereof.)

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON.

WHEREAS by His Majesty's Charter bearing date the 18th February 1833, it is ordained, directed, and appointed, that it shall be lawful for the Judges of the Supreme Court in the Island of Ceylon, to frame, constitute, and establish, from time to time, such general Rules and Orders, as may be necessary for giving full and complete effect to the provisions of the said Charter in whatsoever respects the form and manner of administering justice in the several Courts thereby constituted: And Whereas by the instructions of the Right Honorable The Secretary of State to the Right Honorable The Governor, touching the carrying the said Charter into execution, it is declared that the Charter has given to the said Judges, authority to promulgate Tables of Fees to be paid by Suitors in the several District Courts of the Island: In pursuance therefore of that authority, it is hereby ordered and declared, that the Court Fees to be levied and taken on all proceedings to be instituted in the said several District Courts of this Island, shall be levied and taken according to the Table hereunto annexed.

Colombo, 1st October, 1833.

(Signed) CHARLES MARSHALL,
Chief Justice.

(„) WILLIAM ROUGH,
Senior Puisne Justice.

(„) WILLIAM NORRIS,
Second Puisne Justice.

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Fees to be levied by Stamps in all the District Courts in the Island of Ceylon under the Charter of Justice dated 18th February 1833.

Classes—	1.			2.			3.			4.			5.			6.			7.			8.			9.		
	Under £2.			*£2 and under £5.*			*£5 and under £10.*			*£10 and under £20.*			*£20 and under £40.*			*£40 and under £100.*			*£100 and under £250.*			*£250 and under £500.*			*£500 and upwards.*		
	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*
Proxy Libel Summons, without reference to the number of Defendants Every Rule, Nisi or Absolute Every Affidavit Answer or Admission Replication Rejoinder List of Witnesses Decree Bill of Costs Attachment Translation of each Document Execution against Property Execution against Person	0	0	4	0	0	8	0	1	6	0	2	6	0	3	6	0	5	0	0	6	0	0	8	0	0	10	0

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Subpœna, one to each Witness including Duces Tecum																											
Commissions of all kinds	0	0	4	0	0	8	0	1	6	0	2	6	0	3	6	0	5	0	0	6	0	0	8	0	0	10	0
Notice of Trial																											
Warrant of Arrest in Mesne Process																											
Recognizance in Mesne Process and in Appeal																											
Writ of Sequestration																											
Notice of Sequestration																											
Edictile Citation																											
Certificate in Appeal																											
Final Adjudication in Appeal																											
Certificate of Government Agent in Revenue Cases	0	0	8	0	1	6	0	2	6	0	4	6	0	6	6	0	10	0	0	12	0	0	16	0	1	0	0
Award																											
Letters of Administration																											
Probate of Wills																											
Inventory																											
Account, Provisional or Final																											
Bond of Executors, Administrators, Guardians and Curators																											
Bond of Arbitration and Submission																											
Certificate of quiet possession																											
Exhibit Stamp to unstamped Vouchers, each																											
All Applications	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	9	0	1	0	0	1	5	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	4	0
Office copy, for 120 words																											
Commitment																											

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	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Depositions in Appeal Discharges Lists of Appraisement	Blank																													
Petition of Appeal in Cases wherein no Witnesses have been heard	0	0	9	0	1	6	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	7	6	0	10	0	0	15	0	1	5	0	2	0	0			
Do.——do.——do. six or less Witnesses—do.	0	1	6	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	7	6	0	10	0	0	15	0	1	5	0	2	0	0	3	0	0			
Do.——do.——do.—ten—do.—do.	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	7	6	0	10	0	0	15	0	1	5	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	4	10	0			
Do.——do.——do.—twenty do.—do.	0	5	0	0	7	6	0	10	0	0	15	0	1	5	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	4	10	0	6	0	0			
Do.——do.——do.—twenty one or more—do.	0	7	6	0	10	0	0	15	0	1	5	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	4	10	0	6	0	0	9	0	0			
Poundage at the rates specified in the Rules and Orders of 10th August and 19th October 1820.																														

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON.

WHEREAS by His Majesty's Charter bearing date the 18th February 1833, it is ordained, directed, and appointed, that it shall be lawful for the Judges of the Supreme Court in the Island of Ceylon to frame, constitute, and establish, from time to time, such general Rules and Orders, as may be necessary for giving full and complete effect to the provisions of the said Charter in whatsoever respects the form and manner of administering justice in the several Courts thereby constituted: And Whereas by the instructions of the Right Honorable The Secretary of State to the Right Honorable The Governor, touching the carrying the said Charter into execution, it is declared that the Charter has given to the said Judges authority to promulgate Tables of Fees to be paid by Suitors in the several District Courts of the Island. In pursuance therefore of that authority, it is hereby ordered that the Fees to be charged by and allowed to all Proctors duly admitted to practice in any of the District Courts of this Island, shall be according to the annexed Table.

Colombo, 1*st October* 1833.

(Signed) CHARLES MARSHALL,
Chief Justice.

(„) WILLIAM ROUGH,
Senior Puisne Justice.

(„) WILLIAM NORRIS,
Second Puisne Justice.

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TABLE OF FEES TO BE TAKEN BY THE PROCTORS OF THE DISTRICT COURTS.

CLASSES—	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.
	Under £2.	*£2 and under £5.*	*£5 and under £10.*	*£10 and under £20.*	*£20 and under £40.*	*£40 and under £100.*	*£100 and under £250.*	*£250 and under £500.*	*Upwards of £500.*
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Retaining Fee	0 1 6	0 3 0	0 4 6	0 6 0	0 7 6	0 9 0	0 10 6	0 13 4
For Proxy to sue or defend	0 0 6	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 1 6	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 3 9	0 4 6
Letter of Demand	0 0 9	0 1 6	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 3 9	0 4 6	0 5 3	0 6 8
Every other necessary Letter or Notice	0 0 6	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 1 6	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 3 9	0 4 6
Ditto necessary attendance on Client	0 0 9	0 1 6	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 3 9	0 4 6	0 5 3	0 6 8
Ditto do. do. on Advocate	0 1 6	0 3 0	0 4 6	0 6 0	0 7 6	0 9 0	0 10 6	0 13 4
Ditto do. do. on the Judge at Chambers, the Registrar, or Secretary of the Court, or his Deputy, Referree, Arbitrator or Commissioner, or on the adverse party or his Advocate or Proctor, or on any other person for the purpose of obtaining information respecting the Cause, or on the Fiscal or his Officers to instruct him or them as to the service of any process, or pointing out person or property—	0 0 9	0 1 6	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 3 9	0 4 6	0 5 3	0 6 8

In the 1st and 2d Classes the Proctors not to be allowed more than 10 per cent on the amount in dispute (in lieu of all charges) to be paid by the party against whom costs may be decreed, except in Land Cases of upwards of £3. 15*s.* in value.

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	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Every necessary attendance at the Registrar's, Secretary's, Fiscal's, or Stamp Office or any other Public Office *(a)*					2	0																		
Drawing any Libel, Information, Plea, Answer, Replication, Interrogatories, Petition, Affidavit, Exception, Brief, or any other Pleading, or Writing whatever, for every sheet of 120 words, or for any fractional part of a sheet—								9	0		1	6	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	3	9	0	4	6	0	5	3	0	6	8
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Copy of any Pleading if furnished to the adverse party on stamp, per sheet of 120 words, or for any fractional part of a sheet or close copies of Pleadings or other papers——					2	0	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	9	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	6			
Perusing and considering papers, exhibits or documents furnished or introduced into a Cause by the adverse party, or furnished by a party to his own Proctor for the purpose of being brought forward as evidence in the Suit——								1	0	0	1	6	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	3	9	0	4	6	0	5	3			
Perusing pleadings and papers preparatory to trial——					6	0		1	0	0	1	6	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	3	9	0	4	6	0	5	3			
Examining Witnesses preparatory to trial, or as Instructions for Brief——					1	0	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	4	6	0	6	0	0	7	6	0	9	0	0	10	6		

In the 1st and 2d Classes the Proctors not to be allowed more than 10 per cent on the amount in dispute (in lieu of all charges) to be paid by the party against whom costs may be decreed, except in Land Cases of upwards of £3. 15s. in value.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE ISLAND OF CEYLON.

WHEREAS by His Majesty's Charter bearing date the 18th February 1833, it is ordained, directed, and appointed, that it shall be lawful for the Judges of the Supreme Court in the Island of Ceylon to frame, constitute, and establish, from time to time, such general Rules and Orders, as may be necessary for giving full and complete effect to the provisions of the said Charter in whatsoever respects the form and manner of administering justice in the several Courts thereby constituted: And Whereas by the instructions of the Right Honorable The Secretary of State to the Right Honorable The Governor, touching the carrying the said Charter into execution, it is declared that the Charter has given to the said Judges authority to promulgate Tables of Fees to be paid by Suitors in the several Courts of the Island. In pursuance therefore of that authority, it is hereby ordered that the Fees to be charged by and allowed to all Proctors duly admitted to practise in this Court in its appellate Jurisdiction, shall be according to the annexed Table.

Colombo. 1st October 1833.

(Signed) CHARLES MARSHALL,
Chief Justice.

(„) WILLIAM ROUGH,
Senior Puisne Justice.

(„) WILLIAM NORRIS,
Second Puisne Justice.

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Table of Fees to be taken by the Proctors of the Supreme Court.

Classes—	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.
	Under £2.	*£2 and under £5.*	*£5 and under £10.*	*£10 and under £20.*	*£20 and under £40.*	*£40 and under £100.*	*£100 and under £250.*	*£250 and under £500.*	*above £500*
	£. s. d	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
All Pleadings and Professional services to be charged for as in the Table of Fees for the District Courts, in addition to which the Proctors shall be allowed the following :									
Perusing Papers	0 1 0	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 4 6	0 6 0	0 7 6	0 9 0	0 10 6	0 13 4
Attending the Court on the hearing of the Cause when an Advocate is employed	0 5 3	0 7 6	0 15 0	1 5 0	1 15 0	2 5 0	2 15 0	3 5 0	3 15 0
Pleading the Cause when no Advocate is employed	0 10 6	0 15 0	1 10 0	2 10 0	3 10 0	4 10 0	5 10 0	6 10 0	7 10 0

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SUPPLEMENTARY RULES FOR THE DISTRICT COURTS.

No. 1—WHENEVER it shall be necessary to certify the service of any process, order or notice, at a place where there is no person having authority to administer an oath, the officer serving the same shall and may "declare" that he has served it, instead of "making oath" thereof; and such declaration shall be good and valid to all intents and purposes. And any officer wilfully making a false declaration in that behalf shall be liable to any such punishment as the Court to which such false declaration shall be returned shall consider reasonable.

By order of the Supreme Court,
V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 4th October 1833.

STATEMENTS AND EVIDENCE.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 28th October 1833.

SIR,

I am directed by the Honorable the Supreme Court to request that you will give the necessary directions to your Secretary or other person whose duty it may be, to take down the statements of parties and the Evidence of witnesses as well in Civil as in Criminal cases, to write distinctly and in a legible hand especially proper names of persons and places; and stating on whose behalf witnesses are examined. I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

CIVIL APPEALS.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 6th November 1833

SIR,

I am directed by the Honorable the Judges of the Supreme Court to call your attention to the alteration lately made in the mode in which Civil cases in appeal are henceforth to be transmitted to Colombo viz. by forwarding the originals of the depositions, as well as of the other proceedings instead of copies thereof.

In order to adopt this course with greater ease, and to prevent the necessity of searching and transcribing from your civil Diary every step which may have been taken in the progress of the suit, the Judges strongly recommend you to abandon altogether in Civil matters the General Diary as the record of each days proceedings; to take every complaint, whether made in the shape of a Libel or viva voce, as the commencement of a distinct and separate record; and to add to that record every subsequent

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order, pleading and deposition, till the whole proceedings are completed—By this method the time and labor now consumed in searching and copying will be saved, and any one case may be transmitted to the Supreme Court, at any time, whether at the desire of the Judge himself for information, on any point, or on appeal from any order, interlocutory or final, without offering any impediment to the progress of other cases.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

P.S.—I am desired to add that since writing the above it has been intimated to the Judges that the course which they recommend to you has already been adopted by the District Judge of Colombo both in Civil and Criminal matters and that he is fully satisfied of the greater convenience of it.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN.
Registrar.

Subpœnas (Penalty for Disobeying.)

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 21st February 1834.

SIR,

Doubts having been entertained whether under the 23rd Rule of the 1st Section of the new Rules and Orders any discretion be left with the District Judges in levying the penalty of £5. on witnesses neglecting to obey the Subpœna of the District Court, I am directed by the Honorable the Judges to acquaint you that the penalty may either be levied in whole or in part as the District Judge shall think fit, and with respect to any witnesses who may have been committed to prison for non-payment of the penalty, I am further directed to acquaint you that as the penalty is imposed for the contempt of Court there can be no objection to any District Judge making an order for the discharge of such persons as soon as he shall consider that the contempt has been sufficiently expiated.

I have the to be honor &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN.
Registrar.

Returns of Process.

Circular

To

All the District Judges
and
Fiscals.

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 27th February 1834.

SIR,

Doubts having arisen on the construction of the 14th Rule of the 1st Section, as to whether, when a Defendant is not found

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within the District into which the process was first sent such process must necessarily be returned to the Court, out of which it issued for transmission to and endorsement by the Judge of the District in which the Defendant may really be found, I am directed by the Honorable the Supreme Court to acquaint you that such transmission and indorsement are not necessary, if the Defendant be found in any District within the scope of the Fiscal's authority—in other words within the Fiscal's Province.

The return contemplated by the 14th Rule is that of the Fiscal himself, who cannot correctly return that the Defendant "is not to be found within his District," if in truth he be found within any District, forming part of his Province. If any Deputy Fiscal return that the Defendant is not to be found within *his* District, there is still nothing to prevent the Fiscal as principal from re-issuing the process into any other of his Districts, in which he may be informed that the Defendant really is to be found. It is scarcely necessary to observe that the observations, which I have been directed to make, have no reference to the Jurisdiction of the Court, out of which the process issues. That question must ultimately be decided according to the tests prescribed by the 24th Clause of the Charter; that is to say the residence of the Defendant or the occurrence of the cause of action within the District from the Court of which the process has issued.

As a matter of precaution I am directed to observe to you that the construction of the 14th Rule is not to be extended to the 36th Rule, WHEN EXECUTION is carried into a District different from that in which it was obtained, it is better that it should go through the Court of the District in which it is to be so put in force. For as there may be other writs of execution against the same person or property, the Court ought not to be left in ignorance of a Seizure about to be made at the Suit of a claimant out of a foreign District.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

No. 2—(SECT. II.)—Great inconvenience and hardship having heretofore been sustained by persons summoned as additional witnesses by Defendants in criminal prosecutions before the Supreme Court, great numbers being cited at every session very few of whom are ever called on the part of such Defendants, being indeed for the most part wholly ignorant of the matter in question—And as such additional witnesses are not entitled to receive batta, unless their presence is certified by the Proctor for Prisoners to have been necessary, though their attendance is at all times enforced. It is therefore hereby ordered that no witness shall be summoned on the part of any Defendant in any criminal prosecution, whose name is not given in to the District Court at the time of the commitment or holding to bail of such Defendant for trial before the Supreme Court, unless by order of the Supreme

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Court on motion to be made by the Proctor for Prisoners for that purpose. And in order that such Defendants may have full opportunity to summon such witnesses as they may on reflection consider necessary for their defence; It is further ordered that before any such Defendant shall be committed for trial before the Supreme Court or holden to bail, he shall be acquainted with this order and if he shall require it shall be allowed till the following day to give in his list of witnesses and shall be remanded till such following day when he shall be again brought up and having then delivered his list of witnesses shall be committed or holden to bail, as the case may require.

By order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 5th April 1834.

No. 8.—(SECT. VIII.)—Whereas great delays have occurred in the transmission of appeals from some of the District Courts to the Supreme Court, owing to appellants neglecting to furnish the necessary stamps for the certificates in appeal: It is therefore hereby ordered that from henceforth, every party appellant shall be required to furnish the necessary stamp for the certificate of appeal (as required by the 10th Rule of the 8th Section of the Rules and Orders) within the same time as such appellant is required by the 3rd Rule of the said Section to give security. And that the failure of any appellant to furnish such stamp shall be attended with the same penalty, as is awarded by the 5th Rule of the said Section against parties appellant failing to file their Petitions of appeal and to give security within due time; subject to the Proviso declared by the 6th Rule.

By order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 25th *April* 1834.

Confiscation by District Judges.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 12th May 1834.

SIR,

As doubts may not unnaturally be entertained and have indeed arisen on the construction of the 25th and 28th clauses of the Charter, whether the District Courts, in the exercise of their Revenue Jurisdiction, have power of confiscation, where the value of the property to be condemned exceeds the sum of £10, I am directed by the Honorable the Supreme Court to acquaint you that the point has come under consideration, and that the Judges have determined that the District Courts have authority, under

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the two clauses referred to, to confiscate property to any amount, such confiscation being rather in the nature of a Civil action, at the suit of the Crown, or the informer, or of both, than of a Criminal proceeding. But that with respect to fines upon offending parties, this being purely a Criminal proceeding, the Jurisdiction of the District Courts is limited to the sum of £10.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

CHARTER XXV. CLAUSE.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office
Colombo, 22nd May 1834.

SIR,

I am directed by the Honble the Judges of the Supreme Court to acquaint you that a question has recently arisen in Colombo, as to the extent of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the District Courts, on the construction of the proviso contained in the 25th Clause of the Charter.

And as doubts may not improbably be entertained elsewhere on this point, they are desirous that their decision upon it should be communicated to you, for your guidance.

The question raised was whether, under the terms of that proviso the District Courts were authorized to inflict at one time, and for the same offence, the three punishments of imprisonment, whipping, and fine, or any two of them, or whether they were limited to the selection of some one of those modes of punishment. The Supreme Court, after very mature consideration, is of opinion that, by the terms used in the Charter, the District Courts are not prohibited from inflicting any two of these punishments, or even all of them, if a Case should ever arise which could justify this threefold infliction, But on this latter point, I am desired by the Honorable the Judges to suggest to you, that a case of such a nature must be of very rare occurrence indeed. Fine and imprisonment, or imprisonment and whipping, may respectively, be often beneficially united, but it seldom happens that the same offender can be considered a fit object both for fine and for Corporal punishment, still less for all three.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V, W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

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Taxation of Costs.

No. 4.—(SECT. I.)—Several complaints having been made to the Supreme Court that the Proctors' Bills of costs in some of the District Courts are too high, and there being reason to believe that these complaints have arisen from the Table of fees not being well understood, either by the Proctors or Secretaries of such Courts, in the application of it to the several services performed. To the end therefore that this Court may be enabled to exercise an immediate and constant controul over all Bills of costs, hereafter to be taxed in any of the District Courts in this Island; It is ordered that, from henceforth, every Proctor in any of the said District Courts shall, on presenting his Bill of costs to the Secretary of the Court for the purpose of taxation, furnish such Secretary, at the same time, with a true and exact copy of such bill of costs, not on stamp, which copy shall be headed thus; "Duplicate copy for the Honorable the Supreme Court." And it is further ordered that no bill of costs shall from and after the promulgation of this order in any District Court, be received or taxed by the Secretary of such Court, unless accompanied by such duplicate copy as hereinbefore directed. And the Secretaries of the several District Courts are hereby strictly enjoined to observe and conform to the directions of this order, and to transmit to this Court on the first day of every month all such Duplicate copies as shall have been received by them during the month preceding.

By order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 4th June 1834.

Arrangement of Civil Proceedings in District Courts.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, June 5th 1834.

SIR,

The 11th Rule of the 8th Section of the Rules of practice, relative to the arrangement of proceedings previously to transmission to the Supreme Court, not having been sufficiently attended to in some of the District Courts, I am directed by the Honble the Judges to request that you will desire the Secretary of your Court to adhere to the following arrangement, in all cases hereafter to be transmitted to the Supreme Court.

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Abstract of the Proceedings, as directed by the 11th Rule of the 8th Section not prefixed to the Evidence, which will come in at a subsequent stage, but on a separate sheet.
Plaintiff's Proxy, (if a Proctor employed)
Libel
Summons to Defendant, or Warrant of Arrest
Any motion previous to answer
Defendant's proxy (if a Proctor employed)
Answer
Replication if any
Plaintiff's documentary evidence
Defendant's documentary evidence
Plaintiff's List of Witnesses
Subpœnas to Plaintiff's Witnesses
Defendant's List of Witnesses
Subpœna to Defendants Witnesses
Evidence of Witnesses
Decree
Petition of Appeal
Security Bond
Secretay's Certificate

Any motion, order, or other proceedings, not herein enumerated, should be inserted according to the precise period at which such motion or order was made, or such proceeding had.

I am also to suggest that it would be very desirable to discontinue the practice, which obtains in some of the District Courts, of noting down each day's progress of the case, by way of endorsement on the proceedings.

I am also to draw the attention of your Secretary to the 11th Rule above referred to as regards the noting at the top of every document the day on which and the party by whom it is filed.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Escapes.

No. 5.—(Sect. 11.)—On the motion of the King's Advocate and on his suggesting to the Court that it would be more likely to conduce to the repression of the frequent offence of escape, if Prisoners so offending were to be tried and punished as soon as possible after their re-apprehension, instead of their being detained, according to the present practice, for trial before the Supreme Court, It is therefore hereby ordered, that, from henceforth, every District Court shall be authorized to try, and upon conviction to sentence, any persons charged with the offence of escape, where such offence shall have been committed within the jurisdiction of such District Court. And it is further ordered that, upon such

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conviction for this offence, the District Court shall be authorized to sentence the offender, in order to prevent a repetition of the offence, to hard labour in chains in addition to any other punishment which such District Court shall award within the limits of its ordinary Jurisdiction.

By order of the Supreme Court,

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Colombo, 16th June 1834. *Registrar.*

Statements of Parties.

Circular,

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo June 16, 1834.

SIR,

I am directed by the Honorable the Supreme Court to call your attention to the 10th Rule of the 1st Section prescribing the course by which the statements of parties viva voce are to be received: and by which it is provided that no such statement shall be taken except in open Court, and in the actual presence of the Judge and *of the Assessors*. By this term "actual presence" it is intended, not merely that the Judge should be setting in Court at the time, but, that, if he do not take down such statement with his own hand (which is much the preferable course, and is adopted in some of the District Courts) he should at least attend to the statement, in order that he may strike out what is irrelevant, and obtain further information or explanation, when necessary, as directed by the 8th Rule.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Appeals by Prosecutors in Criminal Cases.

Circular

To

All the District Judges,
Except Waddimoratchy.

Registrar's Office,
Colombo 21st June 1834.

SIR,

I am directed by the Honorable the Supreme Court to transmit, for your information and guidance a copy of the answer returned, by the direction of the Court, to the District Judge of Point Pedro, in answer to a question submitted by him "whether Prosecutors in Criminal cases are at liberty to appeal from the decisions of District Courts.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

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The District Judge of
Waddimoratchy
Point Pedro.

(Copy.)

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, June 20th 1834.

SIR,

I am directed by the Honorable the Judges of the Supreme Court to acknowledge your letter of the 10th, instant, requesting to know whether Prosecutors in Criminal cases should be permitted to appeal from the decisions of the District Courts.

I am to acquaint you that the point has on one occasion, been brought to the notice of the Supreme Court, by a Prosecutor who appeared in person from the District Court of Colombo, and as from his own statement, there appeared to be no ground, on which he could dispute the propriety of the decision with any hope of success, the Supreme Court refused the application.

As a general principle, however, and on more mature consideration, it is the opinion of the Honorable the Judges that Prosecutors should be allowed to appeal, but care must be taken that this permission do not operate as any hardship or inconvenience upon parties, accused; as therefore on the one hand, it is provided by the Charter that appeal in Criminal cases shall not operate as a stay of execution, unless by order of the District Judge, so an Appeal by a Prosecutor, whose complaint is dismissed, ought not to subject the Defendant to any restraint, or even to the necessity of finding Security for his re-appearance, in case the decision of the District Court should be reversed; all that will be necessary in such case will be to send up the proceedings, which will be decided upon forthwith at Colombo, unless the Supreme Court should see reason to reserve the case for Circuit.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN
Registrar.

"True Copy"

(Signed) P. A. LOOS
Dep. Registrar.

Costs in Pauper Cases.

No. 6. *(Sect. 1.)* It having been brought to the notice of the Honble the Supreme Court, that a diversity of practice exists among the District Courts, as to the mode in which a successful pauper party should be allowed to proceed, in order to obtain the benefit of the decree in his favour—In order therefore that an uniformity of practice in this respect may be pursued by all the District Courts, It is ordered that the following course of procedure, being that now in use in the District Court of Colombo, be adopted and adhered to in all the District Courts of the Island.

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When a pauper plaintiff obtains judgment, he shall be allowed to take a copy of the decree, and to sue out execution, in blank; But the Secretary will take care that a sum, sufficient to cover all the stamps which would have been used by him, had he not been allowed to sue as a Pauper, be added to the execution; and that, when such execution is recovered, the first amount levied be applied by the Secretary to the purchase of stamps, to be attached to each pleading requiring the same; care being taken that such stamps be rendered unserviceable for other purposes, by crossing, or otherwise. Where a pauper suit has been conducted by a Proctor, his bill of costs is to be paid out of the first sum levied; next, stamps will be purchased, and the surplus will be paid over to the plaintiff.

Where a pauper defendant obtains judgment, the same course, mutatis mutandis, will be pursued.

If both parties are paupers, and the successful party undertakes to point out property of the opposite party, execution will issue on blank against property; but no execution shall, in such case, issue against the person, unless the Court be satisfied that the party, against whom such execution is moved for, secretes his property, in order to avoid satisfying the judgment.

By Order of the Supreme Court,
V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 4th August 1834.

Entering a General Denial.

No. 7. (Sect. 1.) Doubts having been entertained whether, under the 13th rule of the first section, the District Courts are authorized to serve a Defendant, who has appeared but failed to file answer, with a rule to shew cause why a general denial should not be entered, without first proceeding by attachment as directed by the preceding Rules:—It is therefore hereby declared, that there is nothing in those Rules to prevent the District Courts from omitting the arrest and commitment to prison, and issuing the Rule nisi for the general denial, as soon as the time for filing answer has expired; provided the plaintiff do not insist on the more rigorous course of proceeding by attachment.

By Order of the Supreme Court,
V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 23d September 1834.

Dismissing Cases for Want of Proceeding.

No. 8.* It having been represented to the Supreme Court that many cases are instituted before the District Courts, which the plaintiffs allow to remain stationary, without either proceeding with, or moving to withdraw them; whereby Defendants and

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other parties are unnecessarily and vexatiously harassed, and the District Courts are unable to ascertain whether the business is falling into arrear or not. It is therefore hereby ordered that, from and after the expiration of two months, from the time of promulgating this order in each of the District Courts of this Island, in every case in which the plaintiff, or his Proctor, shall neglect to take any fresh step in the cause, unless where the day for hearing has already been fixed and postponed by the Court, the Secretary of such Court shall, and he is hereby directed, of his own accord, and without the necessity of any motion to, or order by, the Court for that purpose, to issue a summons, of the form subjoined, calling on such plaintiff, or his Proctor, to shew cause why the case should not be dismissed: And if, on the day appointed for that purpose, it shall appear by the return of the Fiscal that the summons has been duly served, and no good and satisfactory cause be shewn to the contrary, such case shall be struck out and dismissed; reserving, however, to such plaintiff the right of instituting a fresh action, or of moving the Court to reinstate the case: Provided that such reinstatement shall only be made, on the plaintiff shewing good cause, to the satisfaction of the Court, not only for his having remained three months inactive, but also for not shewing such cause of delay on the day appointed by the summons: And provided also, that if such case be so reinstated, it shall be placed at the bottom of the list.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,

Colombo, 23d September 1834. *Registrar.*

Form of Summons.

Plaintiff / *against* / *Defendant* } IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF

To

The Fiscal of the Province

Summon the above named Plaintiff to appear before this Court on the day of at o'clock to shew cause, if any he have, why this case should not be declared abandoned, and be struck off the list, no step having been taken in the said case by the said plaintiff, for the space of three months now last past.

By Order of the Court,

Secretary.

By Virtue of this summons, I have caused the within named plaintiff to be summoned as herein directed, and as appears by the { oath / declaration } of the officer who served the same hereunto annexed.

I do { swear / declare } that I did serve the within summons on the within named plaintiff on the day of last.

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Taxation of Costs.

No. 9.—(Section 1.) It is ordered that the Registrars of the Supreme Court, and the Secretaries of the several District Courts, do observe and conform to the following Rules, in the construction of the Table of Court Fees, to be levied in the District Courts, and of the Table of Proctor's Fees.

First, With respect to applications and motions.—The word "application" having been used in the Table of Court fees, and nothing having been said of "motions," it has been supposed, in some of the District Courts, either that every motion must be in the form of a written application, or that it must be preceded by an application in writing. A distinction, however, must be made, with reference to such motions as, from their nature, necessarily require to be reduced to writing; in which cases stamps are necessary: All other motions may be made vivâ voce. And no Proctor shall be allowed to charge for drawing an application, unless when it is necessary to be so reduced to writing.

Secondly. The following attendances will, in future, not be allowed to be charged by Proctors.

On the Client, to get the Proxy signed, or to point out the Defendant (except the first time.)

On the opposite Proctor, to receive copies.

Thirdly. No accommodation fee shall be allowed, where the Defendant voluntarily pays the debt, or admits the demand.

Fourthly. (In appeal, where the Proctor has been engaged in the Court below)

No retaining fee shall be allowed;

Nor any attendance on the Registrar of the Supreme Court, to ascertain if the proceedings have been sent up.

Nor more than one attendance on the client, previously to the hearing.

Fifthly. In taxing costs, it often becomes necessary to make a distinction between charges, which should fall upon the losing party, and those which ought to be borne by the successful party himself.—Such, for instance, as the costs incurred by postponement of the trial, in consequence of the absence of the Plaintiff, or his witnesses. Such absence, though inevitable, ought not to entail additional expense upon the Defendant. So, every objectionable, and even unnecessary, motion ought to be charged against the party making it; even though he should be ultimately successful. It is ordered, therefore, that the Secretaries of the District Courts do, in all such cases, tax the Bills of costs as between party and party, and separately as between the party and his Proctor, but without the necessity of two Bills being given.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 9th October 1834.

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Circular to the District Judges upon certain points of Practice.

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 29th November 1834.

SIR,

I am directed by the Honorable the Judges of the Supreme Court, to call your attention to the following observations on certain points of Practice, which, though not perhaps absolutely necessary to be addressed in each instance to every District Court, may still be usefully brought to the notice of each Court, and of its Officers.

Doubts have been entertained in several of the District Courts, as to the course which ought to be pursued with respect to actions relating to land, which are frequently brought in the first or lowest class, the produce for which such actions are brought being taken as the measure of value, though the title to the land itself may be in dispute. The following suggestion, the Judges think, may be of assistance to you, in ascertaining the mode in which the classification of any such case should be decided.

The first question to be considered is, whether the real object in dispute between the parties be the title to the land itself, or only the produce of one or more crops. For though in the greater number of instances, perhaps, the object of the parties is to try the former question, yet cases do arise, in which the Plaintiff's object is limited to the recovery of produce, or its value, which may have been wrongfully taken from him, by a person who does not pretend to have any claim on the land itself. In such case, it would be obviously unjust to oblige the Plaintiff to sue in a class above that, which the value of such produce would require.

It may not un-frequently happen, however, that the parties agree together to let the action stand nominally for the produce, though the real object is to try the title to the land itself. In such case there can be little doubt that the land, being the true subject of the action, ought to be the measure of value, from which the class should be ascertained. This is a question which may be easily ascertained, it is presumed, by examination of the contesting parties; especially if they are given to understand, as the Judges think they ought to be, that if the decree be limited to the produce, such decree will not be conclusive in any future action, even between the same parties, except as regards that identical produce.—If, then, by the pleadings and declarations of the parties, it appear that the disputed claim is confined to the produce, the value of that produce should form the criterion of the class of action.

If, however, it appear manifestly on the face of the pleadings, or from the examination of the parties, that the title to the land itself is the object in dispute, and the action has been brought in a class commensurate with the value of the produce only, then

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another question would arise, whether this wrong selection of class were made for the purpose of defrauding the Revenue, or from misconception of the value of the property really in dispute.—If there should be reasonable ground for the latter supposition—and the Honble the Judges would recommend a liberal degree of latitude in that respect—it would be sufficient to require the deficiency of stamps to be supplied:—If the District Court felt satified that the Plaintiff's object was to evade the payment of the stamps, which he knew to be requisite, then the case should be struck off, and the Plaintiff should be left to his remedy by a fresh action in the proper class.

The next point, to which the Supreme Court is desirous of drawing the attention of the District Judges, is the necessity of taking down the evidence of every witness at length, in the very terms used by such witness, instead of giving the general result of his testimony, as "corroborating the evidence of preceding wit-"nesses," which is frequently the practice. This course would be less open to objection, if the notes of the District Judge were solely for his own use, and to assist his own memory. But when a case is brought up in appeal, the Supreme Court can only arrive at a safe conclusion upon the evidence, by judging of the very words used by each witness. Whether the statement of one witness be corroborative of that of another, and in what degree, must be matter of opinion, unless indeed the evidence of both were to be word for word the same, which rarely happens;—and the Supreme Court might entertain a different opinion upon this point from the Court below.

Another recommendation, connected with the mode of recording the evidence of Witnesses, and one which the Judges would press strongly upon the notice of the District Courts, is that every deposition be taken down in the first person; as, for instance, "I was at Colombo on the first instant," instead of "Witness was at Colombo," or "he was at Colombo." By using the third person, as is the practice in several of the District Courts, a confusion often arises, from the impossibility of ascertaining whether the words uttered, or the act done, were spoken or committed by the witness himself, or by some third person, of whom the witness is speaking. All distinction between the person deposing, and the person concerning whom the deposition is made, is thus lost; and this to no purpose whatever. The Interpreter should never be allowed to give the translation of the evidence in this way; not only because the District Judge might inadvertently adopt the same words in reducing it to writing, but also because, by so doing, the Interpreter does not give a faithful version of what is said. He ought, in performing his office, to put himself in the place of the witness; that is to give the very exact words used by the witness, which he does not do, if he transposes what is said in the first person into the third.

I am directed to take this opportunity of remarking that the Honorable the Judges have observed, with regret, in very many instances, the little attention which is paid in some of the District Courts to the new Rules of Practice, on matters of comparatively

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inferior moment perhaps, but still essential to the preservation of regularity; as for example,—the careless mode in which the Security Bond, required by Rule 4. of Section 8, is frequently filled up, the appellant's name being sometimes inserted in the bond as the obligee (or person to whom the Appellant binds himself) instead of the Secretary's, thus making the Appellant bind himself to himself—sometimes, where the right name has been inserted as obligee in the body of the bond, the same name being repeated in the condition as "the above bounden," instead of the obligor's or responsible parties (viz. the Appellant and his sureties.) and other blunders equally absurd;—the substitution of an useless *Index*, or Register of Pleadings, for the *Summary* or *Abstract* required by the 11th. Rule of section 8; and the omission to note, at the top of the various pleadings and documents, when and by whom the same were filed, as required by the same rule.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Batta to Prisoners for debt.

No. 10.—The provisions respecting Batta or allowance, to persons confined in gaol in Civil actions, contained in the 33d Clause of the Proclamation of the 22d January 1801, having in many instances been disregarded, It is hereby ordered that, from henceforth, every party to a Civil action, at whose suit a defendant shall be committed to any prison within this Island, whether on mesne process or in execution, shall tender the necessary amount of such Batta or allowance for such defendant to the Fiscal or his Deputy, for one month in advance; and in default of such tender being made to the Fiscal or his Deputy, within forty eight hours after the commitment of the defendant to prison, such defendant shall be forthwith discharged. And at the expiration of the first month during which such defendant shall be so detained in prison, the party at whose suit he shall be so detained, shall tender to the Fiscal or his Deputy the amount of such Batta or allowance for the second month, and so at the expiration of every subsequent month of such detention; and in default of such tender being made to the Fiscal or his Deputy, within forty eight hours after the expiration of such first or subsequent month of detention the defendant shall be forthwith discharged.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 3d December 1834.

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Delivery of Process &c. to the Fiscal.

It having been represented to the Supreme Court, that inconvenience and delay frequently arise in the District Court of Colombo No. 1, owing to Process and Subpœnas being delivered at the Fiscal's Office, without allowing sufficient time for the service of and return to the same before the day of appearance. It is therefore ordered that, from henceforth, all Process and Subpœnas shall be delivered into the Fiscal's Office, six days at least if the service is to be made within the Gravets, and ten days if without the Gravets, before the day on which the party or witness is to appear before the Court; in which six days and ten days respectively neither the day of delivery at the Fiscal's Office nor the day of appearance shall be reckoned. And if any Process or Subpœnas shall be delivered into the Fiscal's Office without allowing such six days or ten days as the case may be neither the Fiscal nor any of his officers shall be held responsible for neglect if the party or witness do not appear on the day specified in such Process or Subpœna.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo 3rd December 1834.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 15th April 1835.

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Supreme Court to call your attention to a very serious evil, which still exists to a considerable extent in the Appellate branch of the administration of Justice; and which, if not effectually remedied, must in great measure neutralize all efforts, whether made by the Courts of Original Jurisdiction, or by the Appellate Court, towards the speedy decision of law suits. This evil,—the delay in the transmission of proceedings in appeal to the Supreme Court,—has not been observed to exist in all the District Courts: The Judges, nevertheless, think it right that the subject should be brought to the notice of each Court, on account of one of the grounds, which has more than once been urged as a reason for the delay; and which indeed is the only ground hitherto offered, which affords any justification of the practice complained of.

That ground, which only applies to District Courts situated within one of the three Circuits, is the difficulty which often occurs in finding the Respondent, to obtain his wish, as to the case being heard at Colombo, or on Circuit, in pursuance of the ninth Rule of the eighth Section.—The best, and indeed the only remedy, which oc-

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curs to the Supreme Court for this evil, is for the District Judge, in all cases, on pronouncing the decree, to ask the successful party or his Proctor, (or both parties, if the decree should be of a nature likely to give dissatisfaction to both) where he would wish the case to be heard in event of Appeal; and immediately to enter on the judgment the following words:—"If appealed, plaintiff [or *defendant*] wishes hearing at Colombo" [or *Circuit*]." This course, which would scarcely occasion the loss of a minute at the time, would often save days or weeks of search after the Respondent, and months of delay in the ultimate decision of the case. If such successful party should require time for consideration, and should not afterwards communicate his wishes to the Court, the choice of the appellant ought, in that case, to govern the place of hearing. With regard to the party appellant, no difficulty can ever occur with respect to the expression of his wish on the subject; which may always be obtained at the time when he files his Petition of Appeal, or when he gives security.

The only other reason which has been assigned for this delay—and the only one which is applicable to any of the Colombo District Courts, is the want of time, on the part of the Officers of the Court, to make up the Records ready for transmission. But this is an excuse, which cannot for an instant be admitted by the Supreme Court. If the record in each case be kept in the only way calculated to preserve any degree of method or order, and without which indeed the Secretary's Office must be a mass of confusion,—that is, if every pleading, order, or other document, be added and attached to the file regularly, as it becomes a part of the Record, the proceedings will already be completed when the appellant gives the necessary security, and the Secretary's certificate will be the only document required to be added. Thus, then, there seems to be no good reason why, in any case, the proceedings should not be transmitted to the Supreme Court, on the very day on which security is given by the appellant: And such, the Judges hope and expect to find will be the practice henceforth. The main, though not entirely the only, object which the Honourable the Judges had in view, in abolishing the former system of copying the depositions of the witnesses previously to transmission, was to obviate one of the most fruitful sources of delay: It is impossible, therefore, that they can now allow obstacles, proceeding from such very inferior and trifling causes, to be thrown in the way of the great object of all Judicial proceedings;—speedy, but not hasty, decisions.

There is another point, to which I am directed to call your attention, as connected with the subject of delay in bringing cases to a decision, and also as the cause of entailing unnecessary expense on parties. It not unfrequently happens that District Courts are enabled to decide cases on the pleadings and statements of the parties, without hearing the evidence of witnesses, according to the tenth rule of the first section;—as where there appears to have been a former decision between the very same parties, or between persons representing precisely the same rights and interests, and the cause of action or object in dispute is admitted

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to be also the same. But the Supreme Court has observed, in several instances of this description, that though the former decision (or any other fact which, if admitted, would be a bar to the action before the Court) may be pleaded by the defendant in his answer, the witnesses have still been summoned, and it has not been till the day fixed for hearing, when all the expense of witnesses has been incurred, that the question has been put, as to the identity of the subject matter in dispute &c. by the answer to which the case is summarily disposed of. In such case, the parties are put to the expense of summoning witnesses to no purpose whatever. The Judges therefore earnestly recommend that, in all cases, the practice which is in force in some of the District Courts be adopted: That the District Judge should consider from the pleadings, before the lists of witnesses are filed, whether any point presents itself, on which the decision of the case may turn and which may itself be ascertained by the examination of the parties. And if any such point should arise upon the pleadings, then, that the parties should be examined touching it before any witnesses are summoned. If the result of the examination should be conclusive, the case would be decided at a great saving of costs and of time: If not, the case would proceed to trial the points at issue being at least more clearly ascertained and defined.

I have the honour to be &c.

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Taxation of Bills.

Circular,

To

All the District Judges.

Registrar's Office,
Sir, *Colombo, 1st May* 1835.

With reference to the Supplementary Rule of the 4th June 1834 I am directed by the Hon'ble the Supreme Court to observe to you that though Bills of Costs presented by others than Proctors were not directly contemplated by the order, still it declares in the most general terms that no Bill of Costs shall be received or taxed unless accompanied by such duplicate Copy, and as objections may be made to bills by the parties, similar to and requiring the same control as those of Proctors, the Judges think that the rule should henceforth apply to both and all descriptions of Bills of Costs.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

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Poundage.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 13th June 1835.

SIR,

As some doubts have arisen regarding poundage to be levied by virtue of the memorandum at the foot of the Table of fees of the 1st October 1833, in consequence of the word "Poundage" not having been inserted in the form No. 19, I am directed by the Honble the Supreme Court to request you will direct the Secretary of your Court to add after the amount of Judgment and Costs the words "together with the Poundage" in all writs of execution issuing out of your Court against the property or person of a party.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Entering a General denial in default of appearance Defence under General denial.

No. 11.—(Sect. 1.) With reference to the Supplementary Rule No. 7, and it appearing that doubts, similar to those mentioned in that Rule, have been entertained, whether, under the 11th and 12th Rules of the first section, District Courts are authorized to serve a defendant, who has failed to appear, with a notice that if he do not appear and file answer, a general denial will be entered, without first proceeding by attachment, as directed by the said 11th Rule: It is hereby declared that such proceeding by attachment in default of appearance is a privilege given to the plaintiff, which he may exercise or waive as he thinks proper; and that if a plaintiff do not find it necessary for the security of his debt, or for any other reason, to move for the attachment as provided by the 11th Rule, there is nothing in the said Rules to prevent the Court from omitting this more rigorous course of proceeding, and issuing the order nisi for the general denial (Form No. 12) in the room of the order nisi for the attachment (Form No. 10); Unless the Court shall consider such attachment necessary for the vindication of its own authority: in which case the attachment shall issue without stamp.

Doubts having also been entertained, whether any and what evidence may be adduced at the trial by a defendant, after the general denial has been entered for him: It is further declared that the

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same matters, and no others, may be given in evidence by defendants in such cases, as would have been admissible, if such defendants had themselves filed a general denial of the plaintiff's claim, without stating special matters of defence in their answers. Provided that, to entitle defendants to enter into any defence in such cases, they must have filed their list of witnesses, and performed all other acts, which it is or may be incumbent on defendants to do previously to their Witnesses being heard.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 26th August 1835.

Annexing Stamps to Pleadings and Documents.

No. 12.—It having been represented to the Supreme Court, that frauds have formerly been practised, by annexing to pleadings and other documents, exhibited in Courts of Justice, Stamps which have already been used on other occasions: It is therefore hereby ordered, that no Stamps shall be annexed to any pleading or other document requiring stamp, unless part of the said pleading or document be written upon the stamped paper so annexed, so as to make it impossible to use it again as a valid stamp. And any pleading or other document requiring Stamp, which shall have stamped paper annexed to it, not written upon as above directed, shall be rejected by the Court, as inadmissible for want of a stamp, unless the District Judge shall feel satisfied that such stamped paper has been annexed without any intention of fraud; in which case the District Judge shall order such stamped paper to be so marked or written upon, as to render it unserviceable as a Stamp for any future occasion, and shall then receive it in evidence.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 25th November 1835.

Circular

To

All the District Judges

Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 25th March 1836.

Sir,

I am directed by the Honble the Supreme Court to transmit to you a form according to which it is considered desirable that all cases, from each of the District Courts shall in future be entitled or endorsed, and I am to request that you will direct the Secretary of your Court, that he is strictly to conform to the directions which are added to the form by way of notes, and not to allow any other words or marks to be written on the backs or covers of the cases. One of the main objects in issuing this direction, which at first sight might appear unimportant, is to prevent the possibility of any part of the proceedings in Court being

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recorded on the back;—A mode very objectionable in many respects, and by which the record of some of the most important steps in the case is sometimes obliterated. And I am therefore to request that if at any time the printed forms of which I now beg to send you Forty copies should be wanting, the same course may be adhered to in manuscript.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN
Registrar.

(*a*) Here insert the place, as "Galle" &c. omitting the words "District Court of" which are unnecessary, because there are no Courts of original Jurisdiction except District Courts.

(*a*) _____

No. Class.

(*b*) Civil, Criminal, Testamentary &c. according to the Fact.

(*b*) Jurisdiction.

(*c*) The names of all parties to be written at length, without abbreviation, or the use of the term "and others" or of the word "Ditto" as a mode of repeating the family name.

(*c*) Plaintiffs and (*d*)

(*d*) Appellants or Respondents, as the case may be.

Vs.

Defendants and (*e*)

(*e*) Appellants or Respondents, as the case may be.

and

(*f*) Intervenients or Claimants.

(*f*) Appellants or Respondents, as the case may be.

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Decision (*g*) .. (*g*) Final or Interlocutory as the case may be.

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RULES OF PRACTICE FOR PROCEEDING BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT.

Appellate Jurisdiction.

Civil Sessions.

1. From the day on which His Majesty's Charter will come into force, one of the Judges will sit every day at 10 o'clock in the Court House at Hulfsdorp, for the purpose of hearing and deciding any Cases which may be pending in Appeal from the several Courts in the District of Colombo, till all such cases are disposed of. And on such days afterwards as shall from time to time be fixed, and of which due notice will be given, one Judge will sit in like manner to hear and decide any such cases in Appeal, as they may arise, from any of the said Courts.

2. On other days, to be in like manner fixed and notified, the Judges will sit collectively in general Sessions, to hear and decide cases as they arise in Appeal from any of the Courts in the several Districts, other than that of Colombo; in which all the litigant parties shall have consented that they should be heard and decided at Colombo, instead of on Circuit, in conformity with the 50th clause of the Charter.

3. At every Session of the Supreme Court, at any place within either of the said Circuits, the Judge who holds such Session will, in the first place, go through with the Criminal business which shall be then pending, whether within the original or Appellate Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court. The Criminal business being finished, such Judge will proceed with the business in the Civil Appellate Jurisdiction, till all the cases are disposed of.

4. At any sitting of the Supreme Court, whether on Circuit or at Colombo, and if at Colombo, whether before all the Judges collectively or before one Judge alone, the Court will hear any motions for mandates in the nature of writs of Mandamus, Procedendo, or Prohibition, or for ordering the transfer of any cause, suit, or action, depending in any one District Court, to any other District Court, as provided by the 36th clause of the Charter; and will also hear motions for mandates in the nature of writs of Habeas Corpus, or for Injunctions, as provided by the 49th clause of the Charter; or for any other Rule or Order, which the Court shall consider necessary, and which it shall be authorized to make: And will also receive Returns to any such Mandates, Writs, Injunctions, Rules, or Orders. Provided also that if it shall become necessary to make any such motion at Colombo without delay, and the Supreme Court shall not be sitting on the day when such necessity arises, such motion may be made and heard before the Chief Justice, or in his absence from Colombo before the Senior Puisne Judge, who shall be then present.

5. Assessors shall be summoned and impanelled in the manner directed at the end of the Rules and Orders for summoning Assessors to attend the District Courts (Section 7 of the Rules and Orders regulating the practice of District Courts.)

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Proceeding in Appeal before the Supreme Court.

1. In every case in which an Appeal is entered against the decision of a District Court, the Record of the Proceedings will be transmitted with as little delay as possible to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, in pursuance of the 50th clause of the Charter, and of the Rules directing the practice of District Courts in the prosecution of Appeals. And the Registrar, after entering in a book to be kept for that purpose, the names of the parties, the Court from which, and the day on which such Record has been received, shall forthwith deliver the same to the Chief Justice, or to the Senior Puisne Judge who may then be in Colombo.

2. In every case of Appeal from any of the Courts of the six Districts, into which the District of Colombo is subdivided by Proclamation of this First day of October, and in every case from any other of the District Courts in the Island, in which the consent of all the parties that the case be considered and decided by all the Judges collectively at Colombo shall have been recorded on the Petition of Appeal, as is directed by the 9th Rule of Practice for the District Courts [section 8], the Chief Justice, or Senior Puisne Judge, to whom the Record shall have been so delivered, will, after consultation with the other Judges, fix the day on which such case will be heard, allowing fair and reasonable time with reference to distance and other circumstances for giving notice to the respective parties, or their Advocates or Proctors, of the day fixed: And the Registrar shall transmit immediate notice thereof to all the parties, through the Fiscal of the District or Districts in which they may reside. Every case to be heard and decided at Colombo will be left in the Registrar's Office for inspection by the parties for eight days as soon as conveniently may be after the proceedings are received: And due notice of every case so open for inspection will be given to the respective Advocates and Proctors, both of the Supreme Court, and of the District Court of Colombo.

3. And in order to enable all parties, in cases of appeal from any of the District Courts out of the District of Colombo, in which such consent of all the parties shall not be so recorded, to be prepared at the time and place of hearing such appeals, one month's notice at the least will be given in the Ceylon Gazette of the time when each and every Session will be held at any place on Circuit.

4. If, on perusing the proceedings so transmitted in any such case, the Judge or Judges before whom it is to be heard, whether at Colombo or on Circuit, shall consider that new evidence should be received on one or more sides, due notice shall in like manner be transmitted by the Registrar, through the Fiscal of the District or Districts, to such party or parties to come prepared with such evidence on the day of hearing; or if the Judge or Judges shall be desirous of examining one or more of the witnesses who shall have already given evidence in the case, the necessary orders will be given for summoning such witness or witnesses.

5. On the day fixed for hearing, whether on Circuit or at Colombo, and if at Colombo whether before one of the Judges under

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the 46th clause of the Charter, or before all the Judges under the 50th clause, every case shall be called on and heard in its turn. And to the end that all parties may know the order in which the cases stand, and be prepared accordingly, the Registrar will cause a list of all civil cases which stand for hearing to be prepared and affixed in some conspicuous part of the Court house of the District, whether on Circuit or at Colombo, for one week at least before the day or session fixed for such hearing. No case will be postponed, unless with the consent of all parties, or unless on the strongest ground of necessity, established to the satisfaction of the Court; and then only on payment of any costs, which may have been incurred by the adverse party or parties in their attendance.

6. Every party, Appellant or Respondent, may appear either in person, or by Advocate or Proctor, duly admitted to practice in the Supreme Court, and duly authorized to act for and on behalf of such Appellant or Respondent; but by no other Advocate, Proctor or Attorney.

7. If both parties appear, the appellant will be first heard, confining himself, unless new evidence be admitted, to the pleadings, evidence, and other proceedings, as they appear upon the record. The Respondent will then be heard in like manner, after which the appellant may be heard in reply. The Judge (or the Judges, if sitting collectively at Colombo) will then state to the Assessors what are the questions of Law and of Fact, and his or their opinion, with the grounds and reason thereof, and will then take the opinion of each Assessor, and decide the case in manner directed by the 37th clause of the Charter; unless such Judge sitting alone shall think fit to reserve any question for the decision of all the Judges collectively, as provided for by the 49th clause of the Charter.

8. If either party make default on the day fixed for hearing, the Court will hear the party who does appear: if neither party appear, the Judge or Judges will state the case to the Assessors, as it presents itself on the proceedings, and will then, in either such case, proceed to decision as in other cases.

9. The course to be followed by any party, who shall be desirous of appealing to His Majesty in Council against any Judgment, Decree, Sentence, Rule or Order is prescribed by the 52nd clause of the Charter. Petition of Appeal having been duly presented as directed by the third rule or limitation imposed by that clause, the Judges will fix a day, on which the case shall be brought on by way of review before all the Judges collectively. And due notice of the day so fixed being given to all parties, the case will be called on and heard on that day, in the course above laid down for the hearing of ordinary cases.

Proceeding in the Criminal Jurisdiction.

1. As soon as conveniently may be after the time for holding any Criminal Session of the Supreme Court, whether at Colombo, or on Circuit, shall have been fixed, as directed by the 32d Clause of the Charter, the mandates and precepts will be issued to the

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respective Fiscals, for summoning Jurors and for the other purposes necessary for the due exercise of this branch of the Jurisdiction of the Court. And it is hereby ordered that the several Fiscals shall summon the Jurors from such lists, and according to such Rules and Orders, as have been approved of and established by "The Supreme Court of Judicature in the Island of Ceylon," heretofore exercising this Jurisdiction by virtue of the several Charters bearing date the 18th of April 1801, the 6th of August 1810 and 30th of October 1811, respectively; or from such lists, and according to such Rules and Orders, as shall hereafter be approved of and established by this Court.

2. At the opening of every Session of the Supreme Court, in its Criminal Jurisdiction, due notice whereof will have been previously given in the Gazette, the Fiscal will, in the first place, be called upon to return the several mandates to him directed. The cases which stand for trial shall then be proceeded with in such order as shall be found most convenient, as well with reference to the public prosecutor, as to the Prisoners or Defendants.

3. When any case is called on, the Prisoner or Defendant shall be called upon to take his trial; and if no adequate reason be assigned for postponing the trial, it shall proceed as hereinafter directed. A Jury shall be called, by drawing thirteen names indifferently from a box, and shall be chosen from such class or classes, as the King's Advocate and the Advocate or Proctor of the Prisoner or Defendant shall agree upon, Or if they should not be able so to agree, the matter shall be referred to the Judge, who will decide upon such Jury as he may think most likely to give an impartial verdict in the case.

4. Every such Prisoner or Defendant shall be allowed five peremptory challenges, without assigning any cause for them; and he shall also be allowed to challenge any others on shewing good and sufficient cause for such challenges, of the goodness and sufficiency of which cause the Judge shall decide; and other names shall be drawn in the place of those who shall be set aside upon such challenges. And if the number of the class, from which such Jury shall be drawn, shall be reduced by such challenges below the number of thirteen, others shall be forthwith summoned, or taken from among the by standers.

5. The thirteen Jurors so drawn and chosen shall severally take the following oath, to be administered according to the forms of the religion which each Juror respectively shall profess.

> You shall well and truly try the Prisoner at the bar *(a)* and give a true verdict according to the evidence. You shall not reveal your own vote or opinion, nor that of any of your fellow Jurors, unless required to do so by Law.
>
> SO HELP YOU GOD.

(a) Or defendant, if he or she should be allowed to remain in any other place in Court.

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6. The Libels of accusation shall be prepared by the King's Advocate or Deputy King's Advocate, or by his directions, and shall be allowed and signed by one of those officers. And whereas by the 41st clause of the said Charter it is directed that all crimes and offences shall be prosecuted in the name of His Majesty's "Advocate Fiscal," and by him or some Deputy "Advocate Fiscal;" which expression it is clear from the context must be a clerical mistake for "King's Advocate;" In pursuance therefore of the authority vested in the Judges of the Supreme Court, to make such general Rules and Orders as may be necessary for giving full and complete effect to the provisions of the said Charter, it is ordered that all Crimes and Offences, cognizable before the Supreme Court, shall be prosecuted in that Court in the name of the King's Advocate, and by him or by some Deputy King's Advocate.

7. The Jury being sworn, the Registrar or Deputy Registrar shall read the Libel of accusation in English, which shall be interpreted and explained to the Prisoner or Defendant and to the Jury, when necessary; and shall then ask the Prisoner or Defendant whether he is guilty or not guilty of the offence or offences charged in the Libel. If he plead guilty, such plea shall be recorded, and the Prisoner or Defendant shall be remanded till sentence is passed upon him. If he plead not guilty, or if he refuse to answer at all, which shall be considered equivalent to a plea of not guilty, such plea shall in like manner be recorded, and the trial shall proceed.

8. The King's Advocate or Deputy King's Advocate shall then open the case and call his witnesses in support of the prosecution. Each witness, after having been examined on the part of the Crown, may be cross-examined by the Prisoner, or by his Advocate or Proctor, and may then be re-examined as to any facts appearing on his cross-examination, and which may require explanation, but not otherwise. The evidence for the prosecution being closed, the Prisoner's or Defendant's Advocate or Proctor may address the Jury on behalf of such Prisoner or Defendant, and shall state the nature of the evidence, if any, which he is about to adduce. Or such Prisoner or Defendant himself may so address the Jury, if he prefer it. The witnesses for the defence shall then be called, examined, cross-examined, and re-examined in like manner. The King's Advocate or Proctor shall then be at liberty, provided any evidence has been given on behalf of such Prisoner or Defendant, but not otherwise, to address the Jury in reply if he considers such reply necessary. Or he may call witnesses to disprove facts sworn to by the witnesses for the defence, or to discredit the testimony of such witnesses; but for no other purpose.

9. After the examination of any witness on the one side and on the other is concluded, and before he or she is dismissed from the box, the Judge will ask the Jury if they wish to ask such witness any questions, and any such questions being first explained to the Judge, shall be put to the witness, provided they be by Law admissible.

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10. The evidence and addresses to the Jury being closed on both sides, the Judge will proceed to sum up the evidence to the Jury; stating to them the Law as applicable to the case, and leaving the facts to their consideration and decision. If they wish to retire to consider of their verdict, they shall be conducted to a room kept for that purpose, where they shall remain without having communication with any other persons, unless by express permission of the Court, till the majority of them shall have agreed on a verdict. If the verdict be an acquittal, the Prisoner or Defendant shall forthwith be discharged, unless there be any other cause of detention against him. If he be convicted, he shall be remanded till the last day of the Session, when the Sentences shall be passed on the prisoners who shall have been respectively convicted; unless in any case, in which the Judge shall consider that the necessity or advantage of immediate example makes it desirable that sentence should be passed at the time of conviction.

11. When any Prisoner or Defendant shall be before the Court, for the purpose of receiving sentence, he may take any exceptions to the Libel, or to the sufficiency of the evidence in point of Law to support the allegations thereof, which he shall see fit or be advised to make against the legality of such conviction. Provided always that no Judgment shall be arrested for mere defect of form in the Libel, or on account of no evidence having been adduced to support any allegations of mere form; Nor shall any part of the Libel be considered matter of substance, or necessary to be supported by evidence, except the allegation of the fact or facts, offence or offences whereof the Prisoner or Defendant shall be accused.

12. All sentences will be pronounced in open Court, by the Judge before whom the Prisoners or Defendants shall have been respectively tried, and shall be inserted in the Calendar, which insertion shall be the Fiscal's Warrant for carrying such sentences into execution; except in cases in which any person shall be adjudged to die, the execution of which sentence shall be respited in manner directed by the 44th clause of the said Charter.

(Signed) CHARLES MARSHALL,
Chief Justice.

(„) WILLIAM ROUGH,
Senior Puisne Justice.

(„) WILLIAM NORRIS,
2d Puisne Justice.

1st October 1838.

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MISCELLANEOUS RULES AND ORDERS OF THE SUPREME COURT.

1. Whereas in pursuance of His Majesty's instructions it has been declared that no party to any suit in any of the District Courts of this Island shall be sworn to any fact upon which such party shall be examined.. It is hereby ordered in conformity to the said instructions that no oath shall be administered to any party in any Civil suit, matter or thing, before this Court, whether sitting in its Appellate Jurisdiction or for the purpose of hearing motions for any of the purposes mentioned in the 36th or 49th clause of the Charter and enumerated in the 4th Rule for regulating the Civil Sessions of this Court. But all those facts, to which the affidavit of such party has heretofore been considered necessary, shall be simply declared and affirmed by him, subject, in case of falsehood, evasion, or prevarication, to such punishment as the Court shall consider adequate to the nature of the offence.

(Signed) CHARLES MARSHALL,
Chief Justice.
„) WILLIAM ROUGH,
Senior Puisne Justice.
„) WILLIAM NORRIS,
1st October 1833. *2d Puisne Justice.*

Hearing in Appeal.

No. 2. It appearing to the Court, that it would be of infinite importance that all fresh business in appeal, coming into the Supreme Court, should be disposed of as soon as the time for the necessary inspection in the Registrar's Office (eight days from the reception of the proceedings) is expired, even though former arrears should still be undisposed of; And in order that the suitors may know at once that, under the new system, they will gain very little in the way of delay by appealing. It is ordered that every case shall be set down for hearing for the next Monday appointed for Civil Sessions, following the eight days of inspection; and that it be endorsed on the Proceedings, and that notice of the day be forthwith sent to the District Court, to be communicated to the parties; and the attention of the Judge of this Court, to whom the Proceedings may happen to be sent, should be drawn to the day of hearing, in order that he may be prepared with it for that day.

By Order of the Supreme Court,
V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Colombo, 20th November 1833. *Registrar.*

Additional Witnesses in Criminal Cases.

No. 3. Great inconvenience and hardship having heretofore been sustained by persons summoned as Additional witnesses, by

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Defendants in Criminal prosecutions before the Supreme Court, great numbers being cited at every Session, very few of whom are ever called on the part of such Defendants, being indeed for the most part wholly ignorant of the matter in question.—And as such additional witnesses are not entitled to receive batta, unless their presence is certified by the Proctor for Prisoners to have been necessary, though their attendance is at all times enforced—It is therefore hereby ordered that no witness shall be summoned on the part of any Defendant in any Criminal prosecution, whose name is not given in to the District Court at the time of the Commitment or holding to bail of such Defendant for trial before the Supreme Court, unless by order of the Supreme Court, on motion to be made by the Proctor for Prisoners for that purpose. And in order that such Defendants may have full opportunity to summon such Witnesses as they may on reflection consider necessary for their defence; It is further ordered that, before any such Defendant shall be committed for Trial before the Supreme Court, or holden to bail, he shall be acquainted with this order, and if he shall require it shall be allowed till the following day to give in his list of Witnesses, and shall be remanded till such following day, when he shall be again brought up, and having then delivered his list of witnesses, shall be committed or holden to bail as the case may require.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 5th April 1834.

Official Letters from the Registrar.

No. 4. It appearing from the Drafts of several Letters, transmitted by the Registrar to various authorities on the Continent of India, as well as in this Island, that the Supreme Court of Ceylon must labour under the imputation either of extreme carelessness, or of utter ignorance of the English Language, It is ordered that, from henceforth, no letter be sent from the Registrar's Office, to any quarter whatsoever, without having been previously submitted to one of the Judges.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 30th April 1834.

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No. 5. As it appears from an inspection of the Letter-books kept in the Registrar's office, that the Letters of whole months have been omitted to be entered in the fair Letter-book; and that

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gross inaccuracies and omissions occur in those which do purport to have been copied into that book:—It is therefore ordered that, from henceforth, the Registrar, or one of the Deputy Registrars, do, on the first Monday of every month throughout the year, produce to the Chief Justice, or in case of his absence from Colombo to one of the Puisne Justices, both the rough and the fair letter books, in order that it may be ascertained whether transcripts of all the Letters of the preceding month have been duly and correctly made from the rough to the fair Letter-book—And that an entry of such production to the Judge, and of the approval or other observation which the Judge may express thereupon, be entered in the minutes.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
Registrar.

Colombo, 30*th April* 1834.

Medical Sub-Assistants relieved from serving as Assessors.

No. 6.—It having been represented to the Honorable the Supreme Court, that great inconvenience has been occasioned to the public by the medical Sub-assistants and the Pupils of the Vaccine and Military Medical department being called upon to serve as Assessors, in the Supreme Court, and in the several District Courts in this Island: It is therefore ordered that the names of the several medical Sub-assistants and the Pupils of the Vaccine and Military Medical department be erased from the lists of Assessors, in the several Districts of this Island; and that, from henceforth, no person, in any of the situations above mentioned, shall be considered liable to serve as an Assessor.—An exemplified copy of this order will be transmitted to the Fiscal of each of the Provinces.

By Order of the Supreme Court,

V. W. VANDERSTRAATEN,
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Comareweler Wyremoottoo—*do. of Anecotte*
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Vacant—*ditto of Sarrewanne*
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Wytiar Cadergamer—*ditto of ditto West*
Motocomaren Armogan—*ditto of Naynativo*
Wisowenader Welyden—*ditto of Anelativo*

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Manaar Division.

Vacant—*Adigar of Manar Island*
Gasparpulle Lourence—*Odear of Eastern Village*
Vacant—*ditto of Western ditto*

Moselly.

Casinada Modliar Tanepaler—*Adigar of Moselly*
Aymapulle Osen Nyna—*Odear of Northern Village*
Samelanyna Kader—*ditto of Southern ditto*

Nanathen.

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Mantotte &c.

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Vacant—*ditto of Odeavor*

Chinnechettycolom & Meerkomole.

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Kelekomole North, South, and Nadda Chettycolom.

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Vacant—*ditto of ditto South*
Wygaly Canden—*ditto of Nadda Chettycolom*

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Karrikattomole North, Mulliawalle & Poodoocoodoo Eruppoo.

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Cadergamer Armogam—*Odear of Karrikattomole North*
Cander Sillemben — *ditto of Mulliawalle*
Punnier Weeloe—*ditto of Poodoo Coodoo Eroppoo Eastern Villages*
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Vacant—*ditto Western Pattoos*
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Vacant—*ditto of Kellekomole*
Do. —*ditto of Ollegattopatto*
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Horigasawewe Mudianse—*ditto of Eggodecaligampatto*
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Parewego Mudianse—*ditto of Panengepatto*
Marikaiawe Mudianse—*ditto of Horoolopatto*
Mahapitame Mudianse—*ditto of Mahapotompatto*
Oediancolame Mudianse—*ditto of Odeancolompatto*
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Vacant—*Odear, North part of the division of do.*

Do. —*Odear, South do. do. of do.*

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„ T. Anderson

District Court of Manar.

Casper Anthony Marcoe
Erromarawentoya Tissiwileenye *Mapana Modliar*
Modellapully Mamana Lebbe
Philip Manuel Colas

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District Court of Waligamo.
All the Proctors of the District Court of Jaffna and
Anthony Pulle Suse Pulle
Ramenade Modely Christoffel Ollesegrapulle
District Court of Waddimoratchy
All the Proctors of the District Court of Jaffna and
Mr. D. B. Van Schoonbeek
„ E. Alberecht
„ W. J. Grenier
„ W. De Niese
District Court of Tenmoratchy and Patchelapalle.
All the Proctore of the District Court of Jaffna and
Mr. J. Lieversz
„ E. G. Williamsz
„ E. U. Jops
„ H. Rulach
Muroger Mootoo
District Court of the Islands.
All the Proctors of the District Court of Jaffna and
Mr. J. J. Lile
„ H. A. Kegel
District Court of Wanny.
Mr. J. F. Grenier
Anthony Pulle Savery Moottoo
Mr. A. H. Buultjens
„ M. D. E. Krasse

EASTERN PROVINCE.

District Court of Trincomalie.
Mr. G. B. De Visser
„ W. F. Redlick
Swaminada Cadrama
Mr. E. G. Williamsz
Cadrewelly Wireregatty
Supramanian Tamban
Mr. J. Dudley
District Court of Batticaloa.
Mr. J. W. Wambeek
„ A. Dormieux
„ A. G. Vander Gucht
Sinnetamby Cadramen
Waygale Cadrewaly
Chinnapulle Ahamadoe Lebbe
Mr. D. G. Collette

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

District Court of Kandy.
Mr. C. Beling
Mahamadoe Lebbe Suttie Lebbe
F. S. Tillenayer Pulle
Ahamadoe Casim
Henry De Alwis, *Modliar*
Mr. H. Erhardt
„ W. A. Staples
„ G. Howard
District Court of Madawalatenne
All the Proctors of the District Court of Kandy and
Wirakonmudianselagegythera Appoohamy, *Wattawa Aratchy*
Yapamudianselagethera Appoohamy, *Kaddewatte Aratchy*
Duckgamaralagathera Appoohamy
Hainagethere Appoohamy, *Wallapolla Aratchy*
Polkootooway late *Lekam Mahatmea Valadipitia*
Hattegedera Rangnamy
Parnagama Maduma, *Mudianse*
Meera Lebbe Coeppe Tamby
District Court of Matelle.
All the Proctors of the District Court of Kandy and
Mira Lebbe Coepe Tamby
Mr. J. W. Drieberg
„ J. A. Gambs
District Court of Nuwera Ellia.
All the Proctors of the District Court of Kandy
District Court of Allipoot.
All the Proctors of the District Court of Kandy and
Mr. T. Roelofsz
„ G. Vander Gucht
District Court of Badulla.
All the Proctors of the District Court of Kandy and
Mr. Henry Hughes
„ W. Vandendriesen

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WESTERN PROVINCE.

Colombo.

Mr. Wilhelm Abraham Kriekenbeek.
„ John Frederick Giffening.
„ Lourens de Run.
„ Johannes Justinus Stork.
„ John Vanderstraaten.
„ John Staples.
„ Cecil A. Morgan.
„ Peter L. de Vos.
„ Henry Joseph Staples.
„ William Taylor.
„ William Godfrey Reckerman.

Negombo.

„ Cornelis de Quaker.
„ C. G. Keunenman.
„ S. C. Vanderstraaten.

Four Korles.

„ Charles Vanderwall.

Ruanwelle.

„ Thomas Corteling.
„ L. W. Drieberg

Calpentyn.

„ Petrus Francois Flanderka.

Chilaw.

„ John Pierre Jumeaux.
„ T. J. Fretz.

Caltura.

„ Robert E. Smith.

Pantura.

„ George Augustus van Haght.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

Galle.

„ J. S. Vanderspaar.
„ Petrus Jacobus Ludovici.
„ Cornelis Martinus Anthonisz.
„ A. C. de Vos.

Matura.

„ Frederick Ernestus Jansz.
„ Lourens Petrus Altendorff.
„ Andreas Everhardus Andree.
„ H. Perera.

Tangalle.

„ J. H. Ludovice.

Hambantotte.

Mr. F. E. Bastiansz.
„ Adolphus William Andree.

Ratnapoora.

„ C. A. Markus.

Alipoot.

„ H. Solomons.
„ T. Roeloffsz.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

Jaffna.

„ Abraham Lodewick de Niesse
„ M. H. Weber.
„ John de Niesse.
„ J. A. Beekkenhoff.
„ F. M. Herft.

The Islands.

„ C. Van Rossum.

Manar,

„ J. Hatch.

The Islands.

„ Frederick Charles Grenier.

The Wanny.

„ Rudolphus de Hoedt.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

Trincomalee.

„ Fredrick Dornhorst.
„ J. H. Dornhorst.
„ Peter de Smith.

Batticaloa.

„ C. Stephen
„ P. L. de Waas.

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Kandy.

„ Peter W. de Waas.
„ W. A. Staples.

Kornegal.

„ W. J. Felsinger

Badulla.

„ S. Landsberger.

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WESTERN PROVINCE.

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Wijelattantiregey Caroles Perera
Mahamareckelle SameresinheSakelesoerie Maha Vidanelagey Simon Coorey.
Mirinjegay Andris Fernando.
Mohandirangey Andris Rodrigo
Don Balthazar Dias
Wahaletantrigey Hendrick Perera
John William Bartholomews Rodrigo.
Maddagey Joseph Dabre Liane Arachy.
Kankanigey Bastian Perera
Kannangaregey Don Joronis
Dolawattegey or Gorennanselagey Don Samuel
Goostinjoogey Aberan Figera.
Pannagodegey Don Johannes
Adrisinhe Aratchigey Abraham Perera.
RajepakseAppoohamilageyAppo.
Wijesoondere Appoohamilagey Matthes
Wickremeatchigey Don Abraham.
AmeretoongeAratchigayHarmanis Dias.
Don Joseph Samerediwaker Wijayesundere Mohandiram.
Curuppuaratchegey Hendrick Perera Jayewardene Vidahn Aratchy
Maneperomagay Don Abram
Assena Lebbe Colonda Markan.
Ranesinhe Aratchegey Don Philip

CALTURA.

Don David Dessanaike
Pakier Mahamado Sego Ibrahim Lebbe.
Delkandooparatchigay Christian De Silva.
Boesabadugay Stephen Fernando
Wahaletantrigey Don Agries Appoohamy.
Hettigay Don Francisco.
Mera Lebbe Sinne Lebbe Marikan
Slema Lebbe Serma Lebbe
Wouter Carolies Van Rooyen.
Isboe Lebbe Assan Mira Lebbe.
Nanmoonycancanangey Andris Silva
Iromannehettigay Don David.
Ahamadoo Casin Canacapulle Uduma Lebbe Marikan
Pettekirekorallegey Don Cornelis Appoohamy
Delkandurey Aratchigey Christian Silva.
Mamuldoora Theodoras Perera
Don Johanes Appoohamy
Caloopogay Don Carolis
Assoeremoorey Elodris
Ederemoeny Salmon De Soese Wickremesinhe.
Pedro Silva
David de Alwis Goenesekere Appoohamy.
Kanangeregey Don Samuel Appoohamy.
Don Louis 1st Schoolmaster.
Coonje Lebbe Tamby Marikan
Wadoogey Francisko Fernando Jayesoori.
Mira Lebbe Saddikady Lebbe
Sandradoere Siman de Sielva.
Mootookudagey Cornalus Dias Weresinhe

CHILAW.

Oedooma Lebbe
Assen Mira Lebbe
Muttoo Tamby
Ally Tamby
Bastian Pulle Arrachiar Wellon Pulle.
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Thomas Fernando Appoohamy
Don Juan Silva.

NEGOMBO.

Mahawattegay Juan Perera.
Malnaindelagey Francisko Fernando.
Ameresinhe Don David
Hadoenetty Mendis Perera
Talengama Appoohamilagey Daniel Perera
Pasqualgay Don Abraham.
Allootgammegey Don Domingo
Balesoerigay Raphial Perera
Dehewillegey Don Anthony Philipsz
Mallewearachigey Abraham Perera.

KORNEGALLE.

Don Abraham Cornelis de Silva Appoohamy

UTUANKANDY.

Mootoopole Lebbe Sayboe
Don Joronis Perera

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.

Don Adrian de Silva Madenaike Appoohamy.
Daniel Fernandus Wickremeratne Obeyesekere.
Boddicoralgey Don Elias de Zilva Appoohamy.
Don Bartholomews de Silva
Don Cosman Alwis Hitty Aratchy Appoohamy.
Don David Goonewardene Appohamy
Coemargey Don William de Silva.
Don David Dias Jayewire Abesekere.
Henry Mendis Caronaratne Appoohamy.
Cornelis de Soese Rajepakse.
Nanederi Johannes Mendis Aratchy Appoo.
Coemaresinhe Don Silvester Perera Rajekaroena Appoo.
Mira Lebbe Markair Segoe Sayboe.
Don Dinis de Zilva Abegunesekere.
Don Juan Wijewardene Ekenaike.
Don Bastian.
Don Fransiscoe.
Don Juan de Zilva.
Abewarde Jasinhe.
Don Alvis Sameredewakere.
Don Johanes de Silva.
Don Daniel de Silva.
Don Louis Ratnaike.
Don Christian Samerewere.
Jasinhe Don Bastian.
Barend de Silva.
Mahamado L. O. A. Markan
Raya Markan.
Don Theodoris.
Madina Markan.
Don Siman de Silva.
Don Louis de Silva Ameregoonewardene.
Don D. de Silva Wickremesinhe
Don Martinus Wanigeratne Dissanaike.
Don Bastian Appoohamy.
Don Samuel Kuroopoo Appoohamy.
Wijetonge Modianselagey Don Jeronis.
Kallatuwe Aratchillagey Wattopitiye-Pallewelle Vidahn.
Siriwardene Mohandiremelagey Appoohamy.
Agellegamowe Mudianse.
Eraperuwa Nalleperome Ranesinhe Appoohamy.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.

Sayemboonaden Manuel Armogam
Cadergamer Arnaselam.

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Candaper Ramenaden.
Amblewaner Sarrewanemottoo.
Mottocomaren Swaminaden.
Welyder Periatomby.
Wirasinga Modliar.
Amblevaner Sarewanemottoo
Ponner Wyrewenaden.
Madeweraya Modliar Phillp Supermanien
Mayler Swam Sopermanien
Welayder Alweynar.
Cander Alwar.
Sidembrenada Modliar Ramalingen.
Cadergamer Tanipolesingam
Conaritna Modliar Cander.
Canawadyar Comareweelen.
Canawadyar Sarrewanemottoo
Tinagerer Ramopulle.
Aromer Welayden.
Walliar Cadergamer.
Sarrewanemottoo Tilleambelam.
Sangerapulle Sittambelam.
Carligeser Tamodiren.
Nalletamby Phillp Rasinger
Caderytomby Sinnetomby.
Mottocomaro Modliar.
Wiseentypulle Anthonypulle
Walliar Cadergamer.
Caneger Swam Moorgen.

MANAR DIVISION.

T. N. Martin.
Philipo Nicola Pulle.
Niclawe Swam.
Ramenader Swam
Sarrewanemotto Mapaner.
Illengekawela Modliar.
Waygalie Candapper.
Wiraser Ramenaden.
Cadergamer Ayenpulle.
Anthony Gabriel.

MULLETIVO DIVISION.

Supper Cadreweelen.
Wedewanam Canawady.
Juanpulle Modliar Sosepulle.

EASTERN PROVINCE.

Allegypody Winapody
Peria Calender Odomalebbe Markair
Welapper Alleapody
Nawesewayer Tambypody
Wiswenader Gaspar Cadrawale
Velepody Cadramapody
Nalletamby Palypodo
Paramacoetty Casinaden
Mamoneyna Polavan Ahamadoe Lebbe
Sawery Joese
Velepody Nalletambypodie
Cadramen Ayenyulle
Weler Mayler
Tamer Welaiden
Sinneven Welen
Wedewanum Kanapody
Comarapper Cadramen
Tiagapper Tillewenum
Moergapper Sanmogom
Wayrepermal Cadramatamby

CENTRAL PROVINCE.

Koralelagey Don Andris
Ossen Lebbe Ahamado Lebbe Marrikkan
Karuwita Samerakaody Mudianselagey Mudelihamy
Seg Ismael Lebbe Sulten Marrikkan
Mawilmada Abeysinha Mudianselagey Appoo
Illookgoda Mudianselagey Siatoo
Kobbekadoowe Banda
Deldeniye Weebaddegedera Banda
Weerabahoogedera Appoohamy
Bulatwatte Appohamy
Henegehowele Lokoo Banda
Samerekon Mudianselagey Appoohamy
Galegoda Lokoo Banda
Bopitiye Weeresekera Pandita Mudianselagey Punchirale

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Kandewela Ranetunge Mudianselagey Puncherale
Pallebowela Korelegedera Punchirale

DISTRICT OF BADULLA.

Alootgey Don Cornelis Dias
Alwis De Silva
Awodekana Lebbe PakkirTamby
Dittotawela Banda
Pallewela Badde Rale
Passera Muletekumboore Mohottale
Etoolkole Raterale
Andrewe.ve Mohottale
Banketeyakonde Aratchila
Ukkoo Banda
Eytellegedera Tennekon Mudianselagey Menikrale
Kalongahakandoore Nawela Rale

DISTRICT OF MATELLE.

Ranesingha Luis Perera
Ahamadoo Naina Pulle Wappoe Mohandirama

DISTRICT OF MADEWALETENNE.

Illangame Mohandireme
Parenegame Mudianse
Meera Lebbe Kuppe Tamby
Galegedera Hamy

DISTRICT OF KOTMALLE.

Welegedera Yapamudianselagey Kiry Banda

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General List of His Majesty's Civil Servants on the Ceylon Establishment, 1st January 1837.

Names.	Date of Rank.	Situation.
The Honble. Robert Boyd, Esq.	13th March 1801	*On leave.*
H. A. Marshall, Esq.	1st May 1802	*Auditor and Comptroller of Revenue and a Member of the Legislative Council.*
The Honble William Granville, Esq.	14th March 1804	*Treasurer, Dep. Paymaster General King's Troops, Commissioner of Stamps, and a Member of the Executive & Legislative Councils.*
C. E. Layard, Esq.	14th March 1804	*District Judge of Colombo No. 1. North.*
H. Wright, Esq.	5th Jan. 1811	*District Judge of Kandy*
J. G. Forbes, Esq.	5th Jan. 1811	*On leave.*
R. M. Sneyd, Esq.	18th Feb. 1814	*On leave.*
F. J. Templer, Esq.	17th Jan. 1817	*Collector of Customs, Colombo and a Member of the Legislative Council.*
W. Gisborne, Esq.	17th Jan. 1817	*Govt. Agent of the Western Province and a Member of the Legislative Council.*
The Honble P. Anstruther, Esq.	18th Dec. 1819	*Colonial Secretary and a Member of the Executive and Legislative Councils.*
The Honble G. Turnour, Esq.	5th Nov. 1820	*Govt. Agent of the Central Province and a Member of the Executive and Legislative Councils.*
J. Price, Esq.	1st Jan. 1821	*District Judge of Jaffna*
J. N. Mooyaart, Esq.	23rd March 1822	*Ass't Govt. Agent at Chilaw and District Judge of Chilaw and Puttam,*
P. A. Dyke, Esq.	15th May 1822	*Govt. Agent of the Northern Province.*

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NAMES.	DATE OF RANK.	SITUATION.
G. H. Cripps, Esq. . . .	25th Nov. 1822	*District Judge of Galle.*
M. Wilmot, Esq.	1st Jan. 1823	*Govt. Agent for the Southern Province.*
J. W. Huskisson, Esq.	1st March 1824	*Govt. Agent for the Eastern Province.*
D. A. Blair, Esq. . . .	5th May 1824	*District Judge of Colombo No. 1. South.*
H. R Scott, Esq. . . .	12th Aug. 1824	*District Judge of Trincomalie.*
J. Bone, Esq.	14th March 1825	*Asst. Govt. Agent and District Judge of Batticaloa.*
C. R. Buller, Esq. . . .	9th May 1825	*Asst. Govt. Agent, and District Judge of Colombo No. 2.*
J. S. Rodney, Esq. . .	1st June 1825	*Asst. Govt. Agent, and District Judge of Madawalatenne.*
W. Moir, Esq.	1st July 1825	
R. Wells, Esq.	20th Sept. 1825	*Asst. Govt. Agent and District Judge of Colombo No 6*
W. H. Whiting, Esq. .	20th June 1826	*Asst. Govt Agent and District Judge of the Four Korles*
P. E. Wodehouse, Esq.	14th May 1828	*Asst. Colonial Secretary and Clerk to the Executive and Legislative Councils.*
C. P. Layard, Esq. . . .	10th Dec. 1828	*Asst. Govt Agent and District Judge of Colombo No. 4.*
J. Dinwoodie, Esq. . . .	2d June 1829	*Asst. Govt Agent and District Judge of Matura.*
A. Stewart, Esq.	9th March 1830	*Asst. Govt. Agent and District Judge of Colombo No. 3.*
G. R. Mercer, Esq. . .	26th June 1830	*Asst. Govt. Agent & District Judge of Alipoot.*
C. Webster, Esq. . . .	29th July 1830	*Asst. Govt. Agent & District Judge of Manar.*

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List of His Majesty's Civil Servants who have retired on Pensions.

Names.	Office at the period of retirement.	Period at which retired.
Alexander Wood, Esq.	*Commissioner of Revenue.*	1st April 1811
G. Atkinson, Esq. . . .	*Civil Engineer and Surveyor General.*	1st Jan. 1811
G. Laughton, Esq. . . .	*Master Attendant of Colombo.*	1st Jan. 1814
L. Gibson, Esq.	*Garrison Storekeeper of Galle.*	1st Jan. 1814
Sir R. Plasket.	*Civil Auditor General.*	12th Aug. 1814
W. H. Kerr, Esq.	*Provincial Judge of Jaffna.*	1st Sept. 1819
J. Gay, Esq.	*Judicial Commissioner of Kandy.*	1st Jan. 1820
H. R. Sneyd Esq.	*Provincial Judge of Galle.*	1st Jan. 1821
J. Richardson, Esq. . .	*Collector of Trincomale*	1st Jan. 1822
E. D. Boyd, Esq.	*Provincial Judge of Galle.*	1st Jan. 1822
D. Stark, Esq.	*Collector of Customs Colombo.*	1st Feb. 1825
J. Deane, Esq.	*Collector of Colombo.*	1st Feb. 1825
W. H. Hooper, Esq. .	*Provincial Judge of Colombo.*	27th June 1836
E. Nolan, Esq.	*Superintendent of Delft*	1st Jan. 1826
Simon Sawers, Esq. . .	*Judicial Commissioner of Kandy.*	3d July 1827
J. A. Farrell, Esq. . . .	*Provincial Judge of Colombo.*	1st Sep. 1828
Henry Pennell, Esq. . .	*Provincial Judge of Colombo.*	1st Oct. 1829
J. W. Carrington, Esq.	*Vice Treasurer.*	27th May 1829
Thomas Eden, Esq. . .	*Deputy Secretary to Government.*	1st March 1830
John Downing, Esq. .	*Judicial Commissioner of Kandy.*	1st March 1830
Hon. John Rodney. . . .	*Chief Secretary to Government.*	4th June 1832
C. Brownrigg, Esq. . .	*Provincial Judge of Colombo.*	1st April 1833
J. Barnett, Esq.	*Govt. Agent for the Southern Province.*	1st Feb. 1836

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MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT OF CEYLON.

List of the Staff and Officers of the Corps serving in Ceylon.

GENERAL STAFF.

Major-General Sir JOHN WILSON, *Commanding the Forces*
Captain E. MACREADY, 30th Regt. *Acting Assistant Military Secretary, and Aide-de-Camp to the Major-General Commanding the Forces*
Lieut. T. LILLIE, 58th Regt. *Acting Aide-de-Camp to the Major-General*
Captain W. T. STANNUS, 97th Regiment, *Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honorable the Governor*
Lieut.-Colonel G. W. WALKER, (Unattached) *Deputy Adjutant General*
Lieutenant C. BRIDGE, 58th Regiment, *Deputy Assistant Adjutant General*
Lieut.-Colonel J. FRASER, half-pay 1st Royal Veteran Battalion, *Deputy Quarter Master General*
Captain T. Skinner, Ceylon Rifle Regiment, *Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General*

MEDICAL STAFF.

		Stations.
Inspector General of Hospitals,	J. Forbes, M. D.	*On leave to England*
Staff Surgeon	G. Jones	Colombo
Apothecary to the Forces,		Colombo
Assistant Staff Surgeon,	R. Sillery, M. D.	Galle
Do. — Do.	J. Kinnis, M. D.	Colombo
Do. — Do.	C. R. Boyes, M. D.	Jaffna
Do. — Do.	A. H. Hall	Trincomalie
Do. — Do.	P. D. Murray, M. D.	Kandy
Do. — Do.	G. Archer, M. D.	Batticaloa
Do. — Do.	J. Marshall	Badulla
Do. — Do.	J. Cameron, M. D.	Nuwera Ellia

DISTRICTS AND GARRISONS.

Rank.	*Stations and Names.*
	COLOMBO DISTRICT
Commanding the Fortress of Colombo	Lieut.-Col. C. G. J. Arbuthnot, 90th Light Infy.
Staff Officer	Lieut. J. B. Mann, 58th Regt.
	PUTLAM.
Commandant	Captain J. Foster, Ceylon Rifle Regt.
	RATNAPOORA.
Commandant	Captain M. Conrady, Ceylon Rifle Regt.
	TRINCOMALIE DISTRICT.
Commanding the District	Colonel E. Darley, 61st Regiment
Staff Officer	Captain J. Wynn, 58th Regiment
	JAFFNAPATAM.
Commandant	Captain C. Wallett, Ceylon Rifle Regt.
	BATTICALOA.
Commandant	Captain G. A. Tranchell, Ceylon Rifle Regt.
	GALLE DISTRICT.
Commanding the District	Major E. Charlton, K. H. 61st Regt.
Act. Staff Officer	Captain A. Montresor, Cey. Rifle Regt.
	HAMBANTOTTE.
Commandant	Lieut. W. Driberg, Cey. Rifle Regt.

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KANDYAN PROVINCES.

STAFF.

Commanding in the Interior, Lieut.-Col. J. McPherson, Cey. Rifle Regt.
Staff Officer at Kandy, Captain Atchison, Ceylon Rifle Regt.

DISTRICTS AND GARRISONS.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Stations.*
	MATELLE.	
Commandant	Captain J. Forbes, 78th Regt.	Fort McDowall
	SEVEN KORLES.	
Commandant	Captain W. Firebrace, 58th Regt.	Kornegal
	OUVAH.	
Commandant	Captain T. W. Rogers, Cey. Rifle Regt.	Badulla
	RATNAPOORA.	
Commandant	Captain M. Conrady, Cey. Rifle Regt.	Ratnapoora
	KOTMALIE.	
Commandant	Captain W. Sadlier, 58th Regt.	Nuwera Ellia

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

Names.	*Rank in the Regiment*		*Rank in the Army*		*Remarks*
Lieut. Colonel					
J. A. Clement	31st Dec.	27			
Captains					
H. R. Moor	1st Dec.	12	Bt Ma 22 Jul 30		
W. A. Raynes	29th Dec.	34			
2d Captains					
G. Charlton	6th Nov.	27			
Sir H. Chamberlain	2d Sept.	35			
[*Bt.*					
1st Lieutenants					
J. Deschamps	6th Nov.	27			
G. Rogers	6th do.				
W. F. Williams	16th do.				
G. Innes	4th Sept.	31			Act. Adj. & Quar. Master
Asst. Surgeon					
G. L. Fitzmaurice	1st July	29			On leave to England

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ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Names.	*Rank in the*		*Remarks.*
	Regiment	*Army*	
Lieut. Colonel			
M. C. Dixon	25th June 35		
Captains			
W. R. Ord	22d May 1829	20th Dec. 1814	Com. R.E. at Kandy
W. Gregory	6th Oct. 1831		
1st Lieutenants			
W. C. Forbes	23 Mar. 1825	25th Ma. 1823	at Nuwera Ellia
C. F. Skyring	19th Aug. 1835		at Trincomalie
2d Lieutenant			
J. S. Hawkins	12th Dec. 34		at Kandy

CIVIL BRANCH OF THE ORDNANCE.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Remarks.*
COLOMBO.		
Storekeeper & Paymaster	G. S. Brook, Esq.	
Clerks on the Establishment — 1st	Mr. J. Thomson	
3d	„ C. G. L. Campbell	
4th	„ D. J. Fretz	
Assistant Clerks	Mr. A. Gunn	
	„ T. Thomson	
TRINCOMALIE.		
Storekeeper	Thos. Dawson, Esq.	
Established Clerk	Mr. H. Glasgow	
GALLE.		
Established Clerk	Mr. W. H. Trant	In charge of Stores.

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58TH (RUTLANDSHIRE) REGIMENT OF FOOT.—*(Head-Quarters, Colombo.)*
"Gibraltar"—With the Castle and Key, and the Motto "Montis Insignia Calpe"—Egypt—Maida—Salamanca—Vittoria—Pyrenees—Nivelle—Orthes—Peninsula—The Splaix.

Names	*Rank in the Regiment*	*Rank in the Army*	*Remarks*
Colonel			
F. Maitland	11 Dec. 1833	Gen. 27 May 25	
Lieut. Colonel			
Miller Clifford, C.B.K.H.	29 Nov. 27	Col. 22 July 30	*On leave to England*
Majors			
J. W. Frith	22 July 30		
H. J. Ricketts	26 July 31	29 Nov. 27	
Captains			
Wm. Firebrace	28 March 22	28 July 14	*Commandant 7 Korles*
Wm. Sadlier	25 Augt. 25		*Commandant Nuwera Ellia*
J. J. Sargent	8 June 26	13 May 26	
R. H. Wynyard, *s.*	do.	20 do. 26	*Dy. Asst. Adjt. Genl. Ireland*
T. J. Grant	18 Oct. 27		
Joseph Wynn	22 May 28	14 Dec. 26	*Staff Officer Trincomalie*
G. Collins, *d.*	22 July 30		
Henry Caulfield	5 April 33	8 June 30	
Geo. Varlo, *d.*	18 Oct. 33	28 May 29	
A. Beverhoudt, *d.*	30 April 36		
Lieutenants			
W. A. Stewart, *d.*	4 May 20		
W. F. Bell, *d.*	16 Jan. 23	2 May 15	
J. B. Mann	17 Nov. 25		*Staff Officer Colombo*
Cyprian Bridge	31 Jan. 28		*Dep. Asst. Adjt. General*
J. P Hardy	8 May 28	3 Nov. 26	*On leave to England*
Robt. Hutton, *d.*	21 Nov. 28	31 July 12	
T. J. Dobson	26 Nov. 30		*[Genl. & Staff Officer Galle*
(W.) Thos. Lillie	11 Jan. 31	17 July 15	*Act. Aide-de-Camp to Maj.*
J. H. Rowan	8 July 32		*On leave to England*
Wm. H. Collins, *d.*	26 Feb. 36		
Owen Gorman	27 do. 36	Adjt. 26 Oct. 30	
Wm. Fisher	1 April 36		
W. E. Grant	13 May 36		
Ensigns			
G. P. Hume, *Act. Dep. Pay.*	28 June 33		
J. H. Laye, *d.*	2 May 34		
J. S. Robeon, *d.*	12 Augt. 34		
Ch. L. Nugent, *d.*	21 Augt. 35		
C. Dressing, *d.*	19 Feb. 36		
M. Hill, *d.*	26 do. 36		
R. Denny, *d.*	13 May 36		
J. Perkins Mayust, *d.*	29 July 36		
Paymaster			
E. Fugion	23 Dec. 19	Lt. 25 July 11	
Adjutant			
Owen Gorman	26 Oct. 30	Lt. 27 Feb. 36	
Quarter Master			
T. R. Timbrell	19 Nov. 30		
Surgeon			
Rob. Stark, M.D.	19 Nov. 30		
Asst. Surgeons			
G. K. Pitcairn, M.D.	21 Dec. 31		
J. R. Taylor, *d.*	31 May 33		

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Egypt—Talavera—Salamanca—Pyrenees—Nivelle—Nive—Orthes—Toulouse—Peninsula—Flank Companies, Maida.

Names	*Rank in the Regiment*		*Rank in the Army*		*Remarks*
Colonel					
Right Hon. Sir Geo. Hewett Bt. G.C.B.	4 April	1800	Gen. 4 June	13	
Lieut. Colonel					
Edw. Darley	24 Augt.	32	Col. 22 July	30	*Commandant Trincomalie*
Majors					
Cha. Forbes, *d.*	4 July	31			
E. Charlton, K.H.	24 Dec.	35			*Commandant Galle*
Captains					
H. Simmonds	13 June	16	31 March	13	
H. Burnside, *d.*	3 April	23	13 Nov.	17	
Alex. McLeod	31 Dec.	25			
Geo. T. Parke	10 Augt.	26			*Asst. Com. of Stores Colombo*
R. N. Verner, *d.*	8 Oct.	30			
Fred. Barlow, *d.*	12 Sept.	34			
E. MacDonnell	6 May	35			*On leave to England*
Alex. Grant	18 Sept.	35	29 Augt.	34	
W. Jones, *d.*	24 Nov.	35			
Peter Eason	18 Jan.	36	21 June	33	
Lieutenants					
F. J. S. Hepburn	13 March	27	12 May	25	*On leave to England*
J. W. Dalgety	12 May	29	5 March	29	*Depy. Asst. Comy. Kandy*
R. Gloster, *d.*	18 Feb.	30			*On leave to England*
J. G. Philipps	18 Oct.	30			*On leave to England*
Henry Vicars	12 April	31			
Wm. Ward	4 Dec.	32	Adjt. 26 Sept.	34	*On leave to England*
Fra. Hudson, *Dep. Pay.*	24 Jan.	34			
J. A. Shaw	12 Sept.	34			
C. F. H. Mayne, *d.*	13 Feb.	35			
W. F. Hoey	5 Sept.	35			*Acting Adjutant*
James Cameron, *d.*			9 Dec.	19	
George Harkness	24 Nov.	35			
J. T. Bligh	5 Feb.	36			
Ensigns					
W. M. De Butts	24 Jan.	34			
J. T. Mauleverer, *d.*	18 April	34			
T. W. Walker, *d.*	23 May	34			
F. J. Stephens, *d.*	12 Sept.	34			
P. C. Fenwick	13 Feb.	35			
C. C. Deacon	5 Sept.	35	28 Augt.	35	
H. G. Burmester, *d.*	24 Nov.	35			
J. B. Gibb. *d.*	5 Feb.	36			
Paymaster					
A. Toole	1 May	28	Lt. 30 Jan.	12	
Adjutant					
W. Ward.	26 Sept.	34	Lt. 4 Dec.	32	*On leave to England*
Quarter Master					
W. Clark	18 May	20	16 June	17	
Surgeon					
C. St. John, M.D.	14 Feb.	22			
Asst. Surgeon					
J. Molyneux, *d.*	19 Nov.	29	18 Jan.	27	

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78TH (HIGHLANDERS) REGT. OR THE ROSS-SHIRE BUFFS.—*(Head-Quarters, Kandy.)*
CUIDICH'N RHI.—*The Elephant.*
Assaye—Maida—Java.

Names	*Rank in the Regiment*			*Rank in the Army*			*Remarks*
Colonel							
Sir Lionel Smith, K.C.B.	10	Oct.	1834	M.Gl.	19	Aug. 19	
Lieut. Colonel							
M. Lindsay, C.B.	25	Nov.	13	Col.	22	July 30	*On leave to England*
Majors							
H. N. Douglas	22	Oct.	25				
Benjamin Adam, *d.*	7	May	29	15	Augt.	26	
Captains							
Arthur O'Keeffe	12	Augt.	19	21	Oct.	13	*On leave to England*
M. G. T. Lindsay, *d.*	26	June	23				
J. Forbes	15	April	24				*Commandant Matelle*
E. Twopeny	22	Oct.	25				
T. H. Hemmans, *d.*	8	April	26				
R. J. P. Vassall	8	June	26	13	May	26	*Detached at Nuwera Ellia*
E. McPherson	26	April	27				*District Judge Kornegal*
T. J. Taylor, *d.*	17	May	30				
W. Hamilton	15	March	33				
P. W. Braham	16	May	34	14	Dec.	32	
Lieutenants							
Wm. Beales	13	Dec.	21				
Geo. Mitchell, *Dep. Pay.*	15	Feb.	22	29	July	13	
W. B. McAlpin	25	June	24				
J. E. N. Bull	15	do.	26	Adjt.	4	May 26	
E. W. W. Pawsey, *d.*	30	Dec.	26				
C. C. McIntyre, *d.*	17	July	28				
John Shields	23	Dec.	31				*On leave to England*
John Burns	15	March	33				*On leave to England*
A. W. Browne	30	Augt.	33				*Detached at Nuwera Ellia*
Henry Hamilton	29	Nov.	33				
Cha. Cameron, *d.*				12	Feb.	28	
J. R. Lamert	6	June	34	13	Dec.	32	*Dist. Judge Anaradhapoora*
Wm. Morris	1	April	36	10	June	32	*Dist. Judge Hambantotte*
Ensigns							
Dugald McNeill	1	Feb.	31				
J. W. Collins	27	July	32				
J. F. Haliburton	15	Feb.	33				*Civil Engineer's Dept.*
R. Shields	5	July	33				
D. St. Vincent Hamilton, *d.*	30	Augt.	33				
S. M. Eddington, *d.*	11	Sept.	35				
F. E. Caldwell, *d.*	9	Oct.	35				
A. M. Hay, *d.*	29	July	36				
Paymaster (In Commission)							
Adjutant							
J. E. N. Bull	4	May	26	Lt.	15	June 26	
Quarter Master							
William Gunn	6	Augt.	12				
Surgeon							
J. Burt, *d.*	29	July	36				
Asst. Surgeons							
J. Young	12	April	27	14	Augt.	24	
W. Robertson, *d.*				29	July	30	

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90TH (PERTHSH. VOL.) LIGHT INFANTRY.—*(Head-Quarters, Colombo.)*
Mandora—Egypt—Martinique—Guadaloupe.

Names	*Rank in the Regiment*		*Rank in the Army*		*Remarks*
Colonel					
Sir R. Darling, G.C.H.	9 Oct.	1823	Lt.G1.27 May	25	
Lieut. Colonel					
C. G. J. Arbuthnot	17 May	31	1 Oct.	25	
Majors					
M. J. Slade	27 Sept.	31			*On leave to England*
Geo. G. Nicolls, *d.*	29 May	35	7 Nov.	26	
Captains					
H. Suckling	13 Jan.	25	21 Oct.	24	
(W.) J. Bowlby, *d.*	26 Dec.	26			
T. Woodw. Eyles	15 Augt.	26			*On leave in England*
John Wilson	26 March	29			
G. D. Griffith, *d.*	3 Augt.	30	31 Dec.	28	
Fred. Eld	27 Sept.	31			*Detached at Galle*
Hen. H. Cuming	2 Nov.	32			
H. R. Thurlow, *d.*	27 March	35			
John James, *d.*	22 May	35			
T. Graham Egerton	5 June	35	23 Jan.	35	*Detached at Galle*
Lieutenants					
W. J. Owen, *d.*	15 Augt.	26			
W. H. Rogers, *r.*	3 Dec.	29	30 Sept.	19	
Marcus Geale	3 Feb.	32			*On leave in England*
G. D. Bowyer, *Dep. Adjt.*	7 Sept.	32			
Vere Caldwell	2 Nov.	32			
Phil. P. Gallway	19 Nov.	33			
J. D. G. Tulloch, *d.*	28 March	34	14 Feb.	34	
E. T. Eyton	6 June	34			
T. Webb	27 March	35			
J. F. Doxat, *d.*	22 May	35			
J. H Bringhurst	4 Augt.	36			
Ensigns					
Lord S. A. Chichester	2 Nov.	32			*Detached at Galle*
Lord J. Beresford, *d.*	1 March	33			
C. M. Chester	10 May	33			*Acting Adjutant*
F. Woodgate, *d.*	6 Dec.	33			
D. F. Mackworth	2 May	34			*Detached at Galle*
J. E. Thackwell	6 June	34			*Acting Quarter Master*
C. V. Pugh, *d.*	10 April	35			
Edw. Hickey	22 May	35			
G. R. Massy Dawson, *d.*	30 July	36			
Paymaster					
H. Y. Esgar	30 Nov.	30	16 April	18	
Adjutant					
Quarter Master					
P. Maitland	9 Feb.	09			*On leave to England*
Surgeon					
J. Robertson, M.D.	9 Augt.	31	10 Sept.	29	
Asst. Surgeons					
W. Blake	14 April	25			
R. Dane, M.D. *d.*	18 Sept.	35	17 July	35	

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CEYLON RIFLE REGIMENT.

Names	Rank in the Regiment	Rank in the Army	Remarks
Lieut. Colonels			
T. Fletcher	27 Feb. 1835		
J. McPherson	27 March 35		*Commandant Kandy*
Majors			
J. Anderson	2 May 34		
S. Braybrooke	27 Feb. 35		*Depy. Commy. General*
Captains			
A. Montresor	11 May 26		*Acting Staff Officer Galle*
G. A. Tranchell	9 Oct. 26		*Commandant Batticaloa*
P. B. Reyne	21 Dec. 26		
G. Ingham	8 March 27	Maj. 22 July 30	
T. W. Rogers	7 June 27		*Commandant Badulla*
G. Cochrane	13 Feb. 27		
J. Foster	15 April 29		*Commandant Putlam*
J. D. Bagenall	16 April 29		
W. Boardman	5 Nov. 29	5 Nov. 28	*On leave to England*
M. Conrady	26 Nov. 29		*Commandant Ratnapoora*
H. F. Powell	13 Augt. 30		*On leave to England*
G. Stewart	22 Jan. 30	Maj. 22 July 30	*On leave to England*
H. A. Atchison	27 Feb. 35		*Staff Officer Kandy*
C. Wallett	18 Sept. 35	23 Nov. 15	*Commandant Jaffna*
* T. Skinner	3 April 36		*Dep. Asst. Qr. Mr. General*
B. E. Layard	14 May 36		*On leave to England*
1st Lieutenants			
T. Mylius	15 Jan. 24		
W. Driberg	5 Augt. 24	8 Augt. 22	*Commandant Hambantotte*
R. Mylius	30 May 24		*Empd. in the Civ. Engs. Dept.*
T. E. Hodges	22 Feb. 24	4 Feb. 14	
J. Stewart	11 Nov. 24		*Empd. in the Roy. Engs. Dept.*
A. McKay	12 Nov. 24		*On leave to England*
C. Warburton	18 June 25		*Empd. in the Civ. Engs. Dept.*
R. Phelan	8 Sept. 25	16 Nov. 12	
D. Meaden	2 Feb. 26		
J. B. Thomas	9 Sept. 28		
G. M. Parsons	15 Feb. 29	26 Nov. 28	*Empd. in the Civ. Engs. Dept.*
C. H. Roddy	15 April 29		
J. J. Dwyer	23 May 29		
J. Burleigh	24 June 29	28 March 21	
M. Jones	23 July 29	3 Augt. 13	*Dy. Asst. Comy. Trincomalie*
F. R. Nash	18 April 29		
L. Clare	30 Sept. 29	26 Jan. 14	*On leave to England*
S. N. Burriss	5 May 31		
F. N. Skinner	6 Sept. 31	25 Augt. 14	*On leave to England*
G. Hamilton	10 Feb. 32	4 Augt. 15	*On leave to England*
W. Percy	9 March 32	6 June 11	
W. Caldwell	8 Nov. 33	2 Nov. 15	
A. Johnstone	18 June 34	Adjt. 13 Feb. 35	
W. Dickson	27 Feb. 35		*Empd. in the Civ. Engs. Dept.*
F. B. Bayly	8 May 35		
H. Smith	15 July 35		
*W. Hardisty	8 May 36		
A. Watson	1 April 36	14 Jan. 30	
F. Ostheyden	13 May 36	26 do. 11	

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Names	*Rank*	*Regiment in the Army*	*Remarks*
1st Lieutenants			
W. Jones	14 May 1836		*On leave to England*
* J. Heyliger	3 April 36		
* J. M. McDonald	29 July 36		*Empd. in the Civ. Engs. Dept.*
2d Lieutenants			
R. Campbell	26 Sept. 31		*On leave to England*
W. J. Kirk	27 Sept. 31		*Empd. in the Civ. Engs. Dept.*
T. Chute	10 Augt. 32		
W. T. Layard	22 Feb. 33		
G. B. Tattersall	16 May 34		
W. Price	13 June 34		
H. C. Bird	4 July 34		
J. W. Grylls	29 Augt. 34		
N. Fenwick	14 Nov. 34		
J. U. Vigors	27 Feb. 35		
B. B. Keane	8 May 35		
E. J. Holworthy	12 Feb. 36		
C. Garstin	14 May 36		
H. G. Remmett	8 July 36		
T. H. Burgh	29 July 36		
Paymaster			
R. Jefferson	6 May 36		
Adjutant			
A. Johnstone	13 Feb. 35		
Quarter Master			
J. Black	10 Augt. 26		
Surgeon			
W. H. Young	4 Sept. 28		
Asst. Surgeons			
W. Lucas	25 May 26		
G. Rumley, M.D.	19 April 27		*On leave to England*

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MOUNTED ORDERLIES.

Name	*Date of Appointment*	*Rank in the Army*	*Remarks*
Capt. W. T. Stannus	1 Jan. 1833	Capt. 28 July 29	*Captain 97th Regiment*

CEYLON GUN LASCARS.

1st Lieut. A. Hope	Lt. 1 Jan. 1813		*Adjutant*

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2d Master. . . . . —— Warren
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Master..... G. W. Nembhard, Actg.
Surgeon ..... William Bland
Purser..... William Dyer, Actg.
Assistant Surgeon.... Anthony Yeoman

RALEIGH, 16 GUNS.

Commander..... Michael Quinn
Lieutenant ..... R. C. Mitchell
Ditto..... H. J. Harvey
Master..... Thos. N. Lord, Actg.
Surgeon ..... A. M. Lean, Actg.
Purser..... J. Nott
Assistant Surgeon .... Thos. Corral

ROSE, 18 GUNS.

Commander..... William Barrow
Lieutenant ..... George Lowe
Ditto ..... Richard A. Cartwright
Master..... Henry Brehaut. Actg.
Surgeon ..... Alexander Lyon, Actg.
Purser..... Henry Brenton
Assistant Surgeon.... J. G. G. Ballantine

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ZEBRA, 16 GUNS.

Commander ..... R. C. M'Crea
Lieutenant .. .. Nicholas Lefebvre
Ditto..... ...Henry Gaitskell
Master ..... L. C. Bailey, Actg.
Surgeon ..... Alexander Gordon
Purser..... William Finlayson
Assistant Surgeon... James Gorthy

VICTOR, 16 GUNS.

Commander..... Richard Crozier
Lieutenant.. ..... Berry Haines
Ditto.... ....Henry Harvey
Master..... William Mills, Actg.
Surgeon ..... Richard C. Nutt
Purser..... W. A. Harries

ALGERINE, 10 GUNS.

Lieutenant, Com..... W. S. Thomas
Master ..... .W. Parsons, Actg.
Assistant Surgeon.... J. C. Bowman

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COLOMBO SAVINGS' BANK.

[OPENED AUGUST 6, 1832.]

THE BANK is opened for the purpose of receiving deposits and transacting business, between the hours of twelve and three in the afternoon, on the 1st and 3d Mondays in every Month. And in case of extra business, on the 2d or 4th Monday from 1 to 3 o'clock.

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Accountant—Mr. J. FIACHAUD—*Clerk*, Mr. C. G. Loos.

Amount of deposits up to 31st October, 1836.....	£24,220	8	2
Ditto withdrawn up to do. do.	9,367	4	11
	£14,853	3	3

Number of depositors.... 526.
Average amount of each deposit—£28 4 9

BRANCH COMMITTEES

Appointed at the principal Stations of the Island, to receive and remit deposits to the Bank of Colombo.

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RULES TO BE OBSERVED ON APPLICATION FOR LOANS.

1.—Any person desirous of obtaining a loan from the Colombo Savings' Bank must make an application by letter addressed to "The Chairman of the Superintending Committee" in which he is to state the sum required, the nature of the security he intends to offer,—whether of immoveable or moveable property,—and the names of his personal sureties: and in case of immoveable property, the Title-deeds are to be forwarded at the same time. On the superscription to be written "Immediate" when it will forthwith be attended to.

2.—The Chairman of the Committee, on receiving an application for a Loan, will forward the same together with the Title-deeds to the Trustees, who, if satisfied as to their legality, will cause the property to be appraised, and examine the sureties as to their sufficiency.

3.—On the Trustees acquainting the Committee that they are satisfied with the security tendered, the applicant will be entitled to receive as a loan one-half, and in case he gives two or more securities, two-thirds of the sum at which his property may have been appraised.

4.—The applicant must deposit with the Accountant of the Bank the amount of the appraisers' fees on the sum applied for, at the time of making his application; but should a Loan of less amount than that applied for be sanctioned, the surplus fees will be returned.

5.—Where moveable property is offered to be pledged, the applicant will be informed when and where it is to be produced for the purpose of being appraised.

6.—The fixed allowance of the appraisers to be employed by the Bank is one half per cent, on the amount lent,—and where the property to be appraised is situated without the Pettah and Fort of Colombo, then each appraiser is allowed in addition, one shilling per mile travelling expences.

7.—In all cases where the borrower is not subject to, or the property to be mortgaged is situate without the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, or of the District Courts of Colombo No. 1. North and No. 1. South—such borrower will be required to execute, in addition to his Bond, a Warrant of Attorney to confess judgment.

MAIL COACH.

[*Established at the commencement of* 1832—*by a Joint Stock Company.*]

THE MAIL leaves Colombo regularly every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday morning at gun-fire, and arrives at Kandy between 5 and 6 in the evening—Leaves Kandy every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday morning at the same hour, and reaches Colombo about 5.

(Offices in Prince Street, Colombo, & Post Office, Kandy.)

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FARES.	£	s.	d.
From Colombo to Kandy vice versa, each place....	2	10	0
——————— Maha Haine and intermediate stations	1	5	0
——————— Ootoopankandy	2	0	0

PARCELS.			
Not exceeding 1lb.	0	0	6
Ditto from 1 to 8lbs.	0	1	0

All parcels exceeding the above weight will be charged for at 1½*d* per lb.

Parcels exceeding 24lbs. or of too large a size to fit into the boot, will be sent by coolies, or by the Coach on days when there are no passengers.

Parcels from Colombo or Kandy to Maha Haine, and intermediate stations will pay half the above rates.

Parcels sent to Kandy will be forwarded from the Coach Office there to all the Kandyan Outstations by coolies.—Half the coolie hire is to be paid at the office at which the parcels are booked, the other half on delivery.

Rate of Coolie hire from Kandy to the Kandyn Provinces.

	s.	d.
From Kandy to Gampolle	0	9
Do.——Poesselawe	2	3
Do.——Rambodde	3	4½
Do.——Nwera Ellia	4	6
Do.——Maturatte	2	3
Do.——Fort MacDonald	3	9
Do.——Himbliattewelle..... .	4	6
Do.——Badulla	5	3
Do.——Passera	5	7½
Do.——Alipoot	6	0
Do.——Bintenne	4	6
Do.——Madawalletenne	0	9
Do.——Kornegalle..	1	6
Do.——Fort McDowall.....	0	9
Do.——Nalande.....	1	6
Do.——Dambool	2	7½

All liquors that can be legally imported into the Kandyan Provinces will be forwarded by the Coach, charged according to the weight of the packets, whichmust not exceed a dozen case.

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Under the Superintendence of the Principal Civil Medical Officer.

LEPER HOSPITAL.	PETTAH HOSPITAL
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Applications for Books are made to the Secretary or to Mr. J. H. De Run, at St. Peter's School.

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THE FRIEND-IN-NEED SOCIETY is supported by voluntary contributions. Its object is to relieve the really necessitous, and, as far as possible, to suppress mendicity in the Settlement; and the means employed for the attainment of these objects are the personal investigation of the cases referred to the Society for relief; the detection and exposure of the pretences of unworthy objects; the relief of the really necessitous, either temporarily or permanently, as the cases require, and the funds of the Society admit; or by obtaining for them relief from other sources, or the means of employment, if capable of working.

The Committee meet for the despatch of business, on the last Wednesday of every month, at half-past 6 o'clock P. M., in the Vestry of St. Paul's Church.

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The Rev. J. MARSH,—*Head Master* 200*l*

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SCHOOLS.

Mr. J. Hesse, *English Teacher* 50*l*
„ J. H. De Run, *Ditto in the Fort School* 50*l*
„ J. Jones, *Assistant ditto* 36*l*
„ *English Teacher of St. Thomas's School* 42*l*
„ S. David, *Asst. do. & Malabar Teacher of ditto* 36*l*
„ S. J. Ondaatjee, *Malabar Teacher of the Female School at ditto* 10*l* 16*s*
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Mr. J. E. Vanderstraaten, *English Teacher at Morottoe* 42*l*
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„ F. Malleappa, *Catechist and English Teacher at Chilaw* 50*l*
„ J. Avery, *English Teacher at Calpentyn* 30*l*
W. B. Paulickpulle, *Catechist and Native Teacher at Calpentyn* 24*l*
Mr. J. Barton, *English Teacher at Galle* 36*l*
„ H. Chinner, *Ditto ditto* 36*l*
„ J. Williams, *Ditto Trincomalie* 36*l*
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Don Jacobus ——————*Ditto——Matelle* 36*l*
Mr. G. Bracker ——————*Ditto——Madewalatenne* 36*l*

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RETURN OF THE NUMBER OF SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR 1835.

PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	No. of Government Schools.	No. of Regimental Schools.	No. of Missionary Schools.				No. of Private Schools.	TOTAL.
				Church Mission.	Wesleyan Mission	American Mission.	Baptist Mission.		
WESTERN.	Colombo	9	4	17	47	0	13	501	594
	Chilaw and Putlam	3	0	0	0	0	0		
SOUTHERN.	Galle	2	0	11	14	0	0	5	48
	Matura	0	0	0	16	0	0		
EASTERN.	Trincomale	1	1	0	4	0	0	70	84
	Batticaloa	1	0	0	7	0	0		
NORTHERN.	Jaffna	5	0	19	13	154	0	247	439
	Manar	1	0	0	0	0	0		
CENTRAL.	Kandy	1	1	8	0	0	0	0	12
	Badulla	1	0	0	0	0	0		
	Matele	1	0	0	0	0	0		
	Total	25	6	55	101	154	13	823*	1,177

* Of these Schools 79 are under the Superintendence of the Roman Catholic Clergy; viz.

52 in the Western Province.
1 ——— Southern ——— do.
3 ——— Eastern ——— do.
23 ——— Northern ——— do.
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CEYLON MISSION OF THE CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY

[ESTABLISHED 1818.]

The affairs of the Mission are conducted by a Committee consisting of all the Church Missionaries in the Island, who meet yearly at Cotta on the business of the Mission.

~~The Revd. S. LAMBRICK—*Chairman, gone to England.*~~

The Revd. J. KNIGHT—~~*Acting*~~ *Chairman.*

The Revd. JOSEPH BAILEY—*Secretary.*

This Mission occupies *four* Stations, viz. *Cotta, Kandy, Nellore,* and *Baddagama.*

At Kandy, Nellore, and Baddagama, there are Seminaries in which boys are boarded and educated gratuitously; and at Cotta there is a Christian Institution, where a select number of promising youths are clothed and boarded, and receive a superior education sufficient to qualify them for becoming useful Schoolmasters, Catechists, or Assistant Missionaries.

Its Schools are ~~50~~, containing ~~1,430~~ boys and ~~252~~ girls Total 1,682.

~~There are 82 Native Teachers and Assistants.~~

At Cotta ~~there~~ are Printing and Bookbinding Establishments.

Stations.	*Missionaries.*
Cotta	~~Revd. S. LAMBRICK, *absent on leave.*~~ Revd. JOSEPH BAILEY. Revd. J. SELKIRK.
Kandy	Revd. T. BROWNING. Revd. W. OAKLEY.
Nellore	Revd. J. KNIGHT. Revd. W. ADLEY.
Baddagamma	Revd. G. C. TRIMNELL. Revd. G. S. FAUGHT.

WESLEYAN MISSION.

[ESTABLISHED 1814.]

The same general divisions of this Island by the Wesleyan Mission into North and South, as given in former Reports, still continue. The following plan shows the Stations at present occupied,—the number of Missionaries employed,—together with the Schools which are conducted in each station &c.

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SOUTH CEYLON DISTRICT.

Stations.	*Missionaries.*	*Schools.*	*Teachers.*	*Scholars.*
Colombo	B. CLOUGH; JOHN ANTHONISZ, *(Asst. Miss.)*	9	9	526
Kandy	R. S. HARDY; J. PARYS,—*Do.*	No Returns.		
Negombo &				
Rellegalle	T. KILNER; C. WIJASINHA, D. D. PERERA,—*Do.*	21	28	679
Caltura	W. BRIDGNELL; J. A. POULIER,—*Do.*	17	18	897
Galle	E. TOYNE; D, A. L. BARTHOLOMEUSZ,—*Do.*	13	17	804
Matura	D. J. GOGERLY; P. J. DE ZILVA, C. DE HOEDT,—*Do.*	11	16	696
Morowa Corle	W. A. LALMAN,—*Do.*	2	3	88

NORTH CEYLON DISTRICT.

Jaffna	P. PERCIVAL; J. KATS, S. AMBROSE,—*Do.*	6	13	667
Point Pedro	J. C. GEORGE; J. PHILIPS,—*Do.*	6	4	356
Trincomalie	R. STOTT; J. MATTHIESZ,—*Do.*	4	4	148
Batticaloa	J. HUNTER——*Do.*	6	6	193
	Total—	95	118	5054

From the above plan of stations it will be seen that the Wesleyan Mission has in the course of this year taken up a position in the Kandian Provinces, the chief post of which, *for the present*, is in the Town of Kandy itself. Some years ago the Society established a mission in the Morowa Corle which is occupied by an Assistant Missionary, and two or three other Assistants. From this Station they are extending their operations northward across the old Kandian boundaries in the direction of the Ratnapoora and Badulla Districts. The ulterior object contemplated in the establishment of a Wesleyan Mission at a central point in the Interior is to extend a line of Missionary operations from thence to unite with the Missions in the Morowa Corle and Matura stations in the south. This line, it is expected. will embrace Badulla and Ratnapoora with other intermediate stations.

The Missionaries, as in former years, continue to conduct their labours in the four principal languages of the Island; namely, English, Portuguese, Cingalese and Tamul. During the year several substantial and commodious Chapels have been built, and the Missionaries have been aided in their erection by the liberal contributions of the Public.

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The amount of the expenditure in the School Department for the past year in the two Districts, is about £1400. The increase above last year has been occasioned by an increase in the number of Scholars. The proportion of those learning English is about the same as in last Report, 780, including boys and girls.

The Printing Department of the Wesleyan Mission is in active operation. A version of the New Testament in the Pali language, 500 Copies, in the Burmese character, has been completed; and a portion of them sent off to the Burman Empire. There are at present Two Periodicals issuing from the Press, the one entitled "THE COLOMBO RELIGIOUS TRACT MAGAZINE" which meets with extensive encouragement, and is published by the Colombo Tract Society;—the other entitled "THE PROTESTANT VINDICATOR," which is conducted by private interest, and promises well as to the sale of copies.

But the chief work now in the Press is a new Edition of the Colombo Bible Society version of the Scriptures in Cingalese, consisting of 2500 Copies of the Old Testament and 5000 Copies of the New. This important undertaking is at the entire expense of the British and Foreign Bible Society in London, and is a grant for the use of the Native Schools in Ceylon. For the purpose of effecting a careful revision of this version, which has however undergone previous revisions, the Board of Translators has been reconstructed by the Committee of the Colombo Bible Society, and consists of, The Rev. J. H. DE SARAM, M.A. *Cingalese Colonial Chaplain.*

The Rev. B. CLOUGH, *Wesleyan Miss.*
„ „ D. J. GOGERLY, *ditto*
„ „ E. DANIEL, *Baptist Miss.*
„ „ T. KILNER, *Wesleyan Miss.*
„ „ J. ANTHONISZ, *ditto*

The Board meets every Friday at the Wesleyan Mission House for the purpose of examining, discussing and finally agreeing upon those points of revision which have suggested themselves to the revising Members in the course of their separate investigations during each week.

The general affairs of the Mission are directed by two Meetings held annually, one at Colombo and the other at Jaffna.

Chairman of the North and South Ceylon District—B. CLOUGH.
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Ditto————*North*—J. C. GEORGE.
Financial Secretary of the South—B. CLOUGH.
Ditto————————*North*—P. PERCIVAL.

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BAPTIST MISSION.

[ESTABLISHED 1812.]

FOUR Chapels belonging to this Mission in Colombo, are regularly supplied with preaching in the English, Portuguese and Cingalese languages. There are two other Stations at Hangwella and Byanville, where divine service is regularly conducted. Besides these stated places, in many of their School rooms, and in other houses, both in Colombo and the adjacent villages, and in villages contiguous to Hangwella and Byanville, the word of God is regularly preached.

Preachers—Revd. E. DANIEL.—Revd. H. SIERS.—Mr. JOHN MELDOR—DON CAROLIS ALVIS—and several Native assistants.

At the commencement of the year there were 13 schools connected with the Mission—three of these have in the course of the year been discontinued. But it is intended shortly to replace these by other schools in more favourable situations. At present there are 10 schools containing between 400 and 500 children—of which about 100 are females. Two Sabbath schools are regularly attended—One at the Grand Pass, Colombo—the other at the Chapel in Byanville.

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ROMAN CATHOLIC MISSION IN CEYLON.

Re-established in 1687 *by the Venerable Father* JOSE VAS *of the Congregation of the Oratory of* ST. PHILIP NERI.

The Most Reverend Father VICENTE DE ROSAIRO, Superior and Vicar General.

The Mission occupies the following Stations at present.

AT COLOMBO—The Most Reverend Vicente de Rosairo.
The Reverend Caitan Rosairo.
The Reverend Caitan Dias.
AT NEGOMBO—The Reverend Jose Frias.
The Reverend Sebastian Perera.
The Reverend Caitan Antonio.
AT CALTURA—The Reverend Xavier Fretas.
AT ALLOOTCOOR CORLE AND KANDY—The Rev. Joaquim Alberto.
AT CHILAW——The Reverend Floriano Mascrinhas.
AT ARIPO ——The Reverend Pedro Caetano.
AT MANAR——The Reverend Matthes Caetan.
AT JAFFNA——The Reverend Francisco Medonsa.
AT KAITS ——The Reverend Jose Pedro.
AT POINT PEDRO—The Reverend Joan Salvador.
AT TRINCOMALIE AND BATTICALOA—The Rev. Pedro Norranha.
AT GALLE—The Reverend Jose Pereira.

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George d'Albuque,
Constantin de Say Noranha,
D. George d'Almeida,
Diegoe de Melho,
Antoine Mascarenhas,
Philippe Mascarenhas,
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François de Mello Castro,
Antoine de Sousa Continho, *under whose administration Colombo was surrendered to the Dutch,*
A. D'Merely Menezes, *last Captain-General (in command of Jaffna and Manar.)*

GOVERNORS OF CEYLON.

Whilst in possession of the Dutch.

AT GALLE.

Willem Jacobszen Coster, Commander at the surrender of that place——*Administration commenced* 13*th March*, 1640.
Jan Thysz, President and Governor—21*st Aug.* 1640.
Joan Matsuyker, Ordinary Councillor and Governor—24*th May*, 1646.
Jacob Van Kittenstein, Governor—25*th Feb.*, 1650.
Adrian Van Der Meyden, Governor—11*th Oct.*, 1653.

COLOMBO.

Adrian Van DerMeyden, Governor-*Administration commenced* 12*th May*, 1656.
Ryklof Van Goens, Governor—12*th May*, 1660.
Jacob Hustaar, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor—27*th Dec.*, 1663.
Ryklof Van Goens, administered the Government from-19*th Nov.*, 1664.
Lourens Van Peil, Commander, President Governor, and Extraordinary Councillor of India—3*d Dec.*, 1680.

COLOMBO.

Thomas Van Rhee, Governor & Extraordinary Councillor of India-*Administration commenced* 19*th Jan.*, 1693.
Paulus de Rhoo, appointed Governor andDirector of Ceylon—29*th Jan.*, 1695.
Gerrit De Heer, Governor—22*d Feb.*, 1667.
The Members of Council—26*th Nov.*, 1702.
Mr. Cornelis Johannes Simonsz, Governor—11*th May*, 1703.
Hendrick Becker, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor—22*d Dec.*, 1707.
Mr. Isaak Augustin Rumph, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor of India—7*th December*, 1716
Arnold Moll, Commander at Galle—11*th June*, 1723.
Johannes Hertenberg, Governor—12*th Jan.*, 1724.
Jan Paulus Schagen, Commander at Galle—19*th October*, 1725.
Petrus Vuyst, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor of India—16*th Sept.*, 1726.

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COLOMBO.

Stephanus Versluys, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor of India—*Administration commenced 27th Aug.*, 1729.

Gualterus Woutersz, Commander of Jaffnapatam-25*th Aug.*, 1732.

Jacob Christian Pielaat, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Commissary—21*st Dec.*, 1732.

Diederic Van Domburg, Governor—21*st Jan.*, 1734

Jan Maccara, Commander of Galle—*7th June*, 1736.

Gustafi Willem Baron Van Imhoff, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor—23*d July*, 1736.

Willem Maurits Bruininck, Governor—12*th March*, 1740.

Daniel Overbeek, Governor and Extraordinary Councillor of India—3*d Jan.*, 1742.

Julius Valentyn Stein Van Gollnesse, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor—11*th May*, 1743.

Gerard Van Vreeland, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor—6*th March*, 1751.

COLOMBO.

Jacob De Jong, Commander of Jaffnapatam—*Administration commenced* 26*th Feb.*, 1751.

Joan Gideon Loten, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor—30*th Sep.* 1752.

Jan Schreuder, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor—17*th March* 1757.

Lubbert Jan Baron Van Eck, Governor, *under whose administration Kandy was taken on the* 19*th February*, 1763—11*th Nov.*, 1762.

Anthony Mooyaart, Commander of Jaffnapatam--13*th May*, 1765.

Iman Willem Falck, Governor & Director of India—9*th Aug.* 1765.

Willem Jacob Van De Graaf, Extraordinary Councillor of India and Governor—7*th Feb.*, 1785.

Joan Gerard Van Angelbeek, Ordinary Councillor of India and Governor, *under whose administration olombo surrendered to the arms of His Britannic Majesty, on the* 16*th Feb.* 1796.

ENGLISH GOVERNORS.

The Honorable the Governor of Madras in Council—*Administration commenced* 16*th Feb.*, 1796.

Honorable Frederick North, (late Earl of Guildford)—12*th Oct.*, 1798.

Lieutenant-General Right Hon. Sir Thomas Maitland, G.C. B.—19*th July* 1805.

Major-Genl. John Wilson, Lieut. Governor—19*th March*, 1811.

Gen. Sir Robert Brownrigg, Bart. G. C. B.—11*th March*, 1812.

Major-Genl. Sir Edward Barnes, K. C. B. Lieutenant Governor—1*st February* 1820.

Lieut.-Gen. The Hon. Sir Edward Paget, K. C. B.—2*d Feb.*, 1823.

Major-Gen. Sir James Campbell, K. C. B. Lieutenant Governor—6*th Nov.*, 1822.

Lieut.-Gen. Sir Edward Barnes, G. C. B.—18*th Jan.*, 1824.

Maj.-Gen. Sir John Wilson, K. T. S. Lt. Governor—13*th Oct.*, 1831.

The Right Hon. Sir Robert Wilmot Horton, Bart. G. C H.—23*d Oct.*, 1831.

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SCHEDULE of the rates of Pilotage payable by all square-rigged Vessels, Sloops, or Schooners, at the Ports of Colombo, Trincomalie and Galle.

	£.	s.	d.
COLOMBO	0	15	0

TRINCOMALIE	*For Back Bay.*			*For the Inner Harbour.*		
Vessels of 600 Tons and upwards	£2	0	0	4	0	0
400 and under 600	1	10	9	3	0	0
200 and under 400	1	1	0	2	2	0
100 and under 200	0	10	6	1	1	0
Under 100	0	6	0	0	15	0

GALLE.			
Vessels of 600 Tons and upwards	3	0	0
400 and under 600	2	5	0
200 and under 400	1	10	0
100 and under 200	1	2	0
Under 100	0	15	0

The above rates of Pilotage will be charged to all Vessels going into the Inner Harbour of Trincomalie and the Harbour of Galle, whether they may make a signal for a Pilot or not. In Colombo, and the Back bay at Trincomalie, the charge will only be made, if the Vessel make the signal, and a Pilot actually repair on board.

SCHEDULE of the Fees or Port-Clearances payable by Merchant Ships and Vessels from the 1st day of October, 1825.

Square-rigged Vessels, Sloops, or Schooners.

	£.	s.	d.
Of 600 Tons or upwards	8	0	0
400 and under 600	5	10	0
200 and under 400	4	0	0
100 and under 200	2	15	0
Under 100	1	10	0

Dhonies.

Of 30 Garce and upwards	4	0	0
25 Garce and under 30	3	0	0
20 ——— do. ——— 25	2	12	6
15 ——— do. ——— 20	2	5	0
10 ——— do. ——— 15	1	17	6
5 ——— do. ——— 10	1	7	0
Under 5	0	15	0

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EXCEPTIONS.—Manar and Jaffna Dhonies when passing from Port to Port within the districts they belong to, or from Manar to Jaffna, Kaits or Point Pedro, or vice versa, to pay half the above rates.

Boats, Vessels, or Dhonies certified to belong to any Port of Ceylon being of 5 Garce or 1,000 Parrahs burthen, are to pay as follows—

Under 50 Parrahs	0	0	0
50 and under 200 Parrahs or 1 Garce	0	3	0
1 Garce and under 2 Garce	0	5	0
2———do.——— 3	0	7	6
3———do.——— 4	0	10	0
4———do.——— 5	0	12	0

MEMO.—Ships remaining less than eight days, and neither exporting nor importing cargo, pay no duty.—Ships pay no port fees for Port Clearances, unless they shall have landed or shipped Goods (exclusive of Passengers' Baggage) exceeding one Ton for every 100 Tons of the Register Tonnage, or remain more than 8 days.

Coasting Vessels are allowed to compound for fees payable for twelve months at the rate of one Shilling per Ton.

AGENTS FOR THE COLONY.

Agent in London——George Baillie, Esq.
Agents at Calcutta——Messrs. Gillander, Arbuthnot & Co.
Agents at Madras——Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co.
Agents at Bombay——Messrs. Frith & Co.
Agents at the Cape——Messrs. Nisbett & Co.

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AN EXACT STATEMENT OF REVENUE FOR THE YEAR 1835.

	£.	s.	d.
Sea Customs—Duty on Exports and Imports, Port-clearances, &c.	114,394	2	3
Cinnamon and Cinnamon Oil—Sale of in Ceylon—	13,029	12	7¼
Land Rents. Paddy Farms	32,540	3	6
Fine Grain Farms	2,795	16	4
Garden Farms	406	7	4½
Land Customs. Ferry, Bridge, Canal, and Lock, Tolls—	5,261	19	9½
Cart Tolls	74	5	0
Licenses. Arrack and Toddy Farms	31,598	11	2¼
Duty on Arrack Stills	1,959	7	5¾
Weights and Measures, Stamping and sale of	81	1	8¼
Pearl Fishery	40,346	0	9
Fish Farms	6,783	7	2
Chank Farms	1,211	0	7
Salt Farms	32,306	4	7¼
Assessment Tax on Houses, &c.	725	12	5½
Commutation Tax	40	4	0
Tobacco Tithes	25	18	10¾
Auction Duty	350	9	0¼
Postage, Collection of	2,468	9	5
Blank Stamps, Sale of	2,710	11	0½
Judicial Stamps, Sale of	10,299	11	5½
Total Fixed Revenue—	299,408	16	7
Premium on sale of Bills, interest &c.	3,730	18	5½
Lands and Houses—sale and rent of	4,830	6	6¾
Government Gazettes &c. sale of	491	9	0½
Coffee &c.—sale of	88	8	1½
Elephants and Elephant Tusks—sale of	47	16	5½
Cattle—sale of	3	3	0
Sorting and Embaling Cinnamon—receipts for	373	17	10¼
Licenses to Butchers and Bakers—receipts for	14	5	0
Marriage Licenses—receipts for	13	0	0
Masters Attendant—Hire of Boats &c.	47	0	9¾
Gun Powder—sale of in Civil Departments	202	19	0
Tithes redeemed	144	11	7½
Deposits transferred to Government	46	1	9¾
Salaries overdrawn—refunded	552	17	8¾
Carried forward—	10,586	15	5¾

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	£.	s.	d.
Brought forward—	10,586	15	5¾
Amount received in reimbursement of the Issues by the Colonial Government, to indemnify certain Military Officers for the stoppages made from their pay, in consequence of their having held the appointment of Field Assistant in the Civil Engineer's Department	222	8	0
Salaries paid to certain Clerks and Draftsmen employed under the Officer Commanding Royal Engineers, and refunded by the Ordnance Department	201	17	0¼
Advances on account of the Barque Batavia—recovered	34	19	0¾
First instalment of the purchase money of the Stills used for the distillation of Cinnamon Oil	20	0	0
Fines and Forfeitures	754	15	7½
Fees of the Admiralty Court—received	42	14	2
Surplus of Hospital Stoppages	128	13	3¾
Commissariat and Colonial Stores and Provisions—sale of—and stoppages for issues to the Troops	29,205	5	7½
Proceeds of unserviceable Stores and materials sold by the Civil Departments—and other Miscellaneous receipts	411	9	10
Total Incidental Receipts—	41,608	18	1¾
Receipts in aid of Revenue	3,806	13	0½

SUMMARY.

Arrears of Revenue of former years	27,170	18	5½
Fixed	299,408	16	7
Incidental	41,608	18	1¾
Receipts in aid of Revenue	3,806	13	0½
£—	371,995	6	2¾

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AN EXACT STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE for the year 1835.

Arrears of Expenditure of former years:							
Civil				13,429	10	10¼	
Military				766	18	8¼	
Commissariat				9,096	10	11½	
CIVIL EXPENDITURE,—*Ordinary.*							28,293 0 1
Civil charges	36,657	2	1¾				
Judicial do.	32,113	7	8½				
Revenue do.	28,694	17	2¼				
Ecclesiastical do.	8,172	7	4				
				105,637	14	4¼	
Extraordinary.							
Civil charges	47,738	0	2¼				
Judicial do.	13,319	9	3				
Revenue do.	26,198	19	5¾				
Ecclesiastical do.	4,157	0	10				
				91,413	9	9	
Miscellaneous.				197,051	4	1½	
Commission & Interest paid to the Agents for the Colony in India—	774	5	8				
Loss in Exchange on remittances of Specie from the Presidencies in India	2,349	6	0				
Surcharges refunded—	339	19	5¾				
Sundry old unsettled advances written off by order of Govt.—	351	9	10½				
Sundry Incidental receipts repaid	35	15	3				
				3,850	16	3¼	
In all, Civil Expenditure							200,902 0 4¾
MILITARY EXPENDITURE,—*Ordinary.*							
Island Pay and Allowances to European and Native Troops —	29,044	6	11				
Do. do. to General and Garrison Staff	12,631	5	6				
Do. do. to Eng. Dept.	755	5	1¾				
				42,430	17	6¾	
Extraordinary				4,953	19	11½	
				47,384	17	6	
COMMISSARIAT.							
Ordinary				2,303	7	6	
Extraordinary.							
Provision Department	15,113	3	7¾				
Barrack —do.	1,253	2	11½				
Engineers—do. for Military works	3,031	4	11¾				
Miscellaneous	4,743	14	3½				
				24,144	5	10	
In all, Military and Commissariat Disbursements							73,832 10 10
							£—298,027 11 3

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EXPENDITURE OF THE AGENT IN ENGLAND FOR THE YEAR 1835.

Pensions to Judges &c.	5,741	13	0
Civil Fund	10,875	0	0
Widows' Pension Fund	2,925	0	0
Salary and Establishment of the Agent	500	0	0
Stores and Supplies and other Miscellaneous charges	5,208	13	8
£—	25,250	6	8

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RETURN of the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of each year from 1821 to 1835, inclusive—shewing the Excess of Revenue or Excess of Expenditure in each year.

	Revenue.			*Expenditure.*			*Excess of Revenue.*			*Excess of Expenditure.*		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
1821	459,699	0	0	481,854	0	0	—	—	—	22,155	0	0
1822	473,669	0	0	458,346	0	0	15,323	0	0	—	—	—
1823	355,406	0	0	476,242	0	0	—	—	—	120,836	0	0
1824	387,259	0	0	441,592	0	0	—	—	—	54,333	0	0
1825	355,320	0	0	495,529	0	0	—	—	—	140,209	0	0
1826	278,350	0	0	394,229	0	0	—	—	—	115,879	0	0
1827	264,735	0	0	411,648	0	0	—	—	—	146,913	0	0
1828	305,712	0	0	339,516	0	0	—	—	—	33,804	0	0
1829	389,534	0	0	344,757	0	0	44,777	0	0	—	—	—
1830	403,475	0	0	347,029	0	0	56,446	0	0	—	—	—
1831	420,170	0	0	346,565	0	0	73,605	0	0	—	—	—
1832	369,437	0	0	338,100	0	0	31,337	0	0	—	—	—
1833	437,555	0	0	331,764	0	0	105,791	0	0	—	—	—
1834	377,952	0	0	334,835	0	0	43,117	0	0	—	—	—
1835	371,995	0	0	323,277	0	0	48,718	0	0	—	—	—
	5,650,268	0	0	5,865,283	0	0	419,114	0	0	634,129	0	0
							Deduct Excess of Revenue—			419,114	0	0
							Net Excess of Expenditure £—			215,015	0	0

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VALUE of EXPORTS and IMPORTS to and from CEYLON, from the Year 1825, *to* 1835 *inclusive, distinguishing the trade with GREAT BRITAIN from that with other parts of the World, and shewing the Increase and Decrease upon each Year.*

[N.B.—The valuation is made by the Officers of Customs.]

Years.	Exports.		Total.	Imports.		Total.	Increase of Exports.	Decrease of Exports.	Increase of Imports.	Decrease of Imports
	To Great Britain.	Elsewhere.		From Great Britain.	Elsewhere.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1825— — — —	97,537	126,851	224,388	23,440	272,861	296,301	—	—	—	—
1826— — — —	177,513	85,429	262,942	21,262	288,485	309,747	38,554	—	13,446	—
1827— — — —	233,452	35,118	318,570	16,800	326,509	343,309	55,628	—	33,562	—
1828— — — —	149,551	96,432	245,983	29,984	293,949	323,933	—	72,587	—	19,376
1829— — — —	196,558	128,225	324,783	39,290	300,910	340,200	78,800	—	16,267	—
1830— — — —	168,576	106,234	274,810	40,777	308,804	349,581	—	49,973	9,381	—
1831— — — —	59,903	92,390	152,293	28,559	354,428	282,987	—	122,517	—	66,594
1832— — — —	98,526	62,061	160,587	47,792	303,430	351,222	8,294	—	68,235	—
1833— — — —	42,403	90,127	132,530	60,813	260,078	320,891	—	28,057	—	30,331
1834— — — —	76,089	68,844	145,833	71,075	301,650	372,725	13,303	—	51,834	—
1835— — — —	79,595	119,672	199,267	69,997	282,079	352,076	53,434	—	—	20,649

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SCHEDULE OF ISLAND ALLOWANCES drawn by OFFICERS doing duty in the Island.

REGIMENTAL.	*Amount per month.* £	s.	d.	
Colonel — — —	45	9	0	
Lieutenant-Colonel — —	32	2	0	
Major — — —	23	19	0	
Captain — — —	13	16	0	
Lieutenant — — —	8	5	0	
Second do. or Ensign — —	6	6	0	
Paymaster — — —	13	16	0	
Surgeon — — —	17	10	0	
Assistant-Surgeon — —	12	10	0	
Adjutant — — —	10	4	0	
Quarter-Master — —	10	4	0	
Additional allowance to Officers in command of Corps.				
Colonel — — —	5	4	0	
Lieutenant-Colonel — —	5	4	0	
Major — — —	8	3	0	
Captain — — —	10	4	0	
Lieutenant — — —	5	11	0	
Additional allowance to Officers in command of Garrisons, with the exception of Colombo, Trincomale, Kandy and Galle.				
Colonel — — —	29	11	0	*The allowance of the Commandant of Colombo is fixed at 29l. 11s.—of Trincomalie at 30l. —& of Kandy at 25l.—that of Galle at 10s. a-day.*
Lieutenant-Colonel — —	8	18	0	
Major — — —	6	14	0	
Captain — — —	3	19	6	
Lieutenant — — —	2	14	0	
Second do. or Ensign — —	2	0	6	
General and Medical Staff.				*The allowance of the Commandant of Colombo is not drawn when the offices of Governor & Commander of the Forces are not united.*
Major-General — —	275	13	4¼	
Deputy Quarter-Master General—being a Lt.-Col.	16	1	0	
Dep. Asst. do. Lieutenant	4	2	6	
Dep. Adjt. General— Lt.-Col.	16	1	0	*In addition to the Regimental allowance, being regulated, where the ranks of Staff Officers do not correspond with the Table, by making the addition equal to one-half of the Regimental allowance to Officers.*
Dep. Asst. do. Lieutenant	4	2	6	
Assistant Military Secretary —	*6	18	0	
Aide-de-Camp to the Governor—{*Whether Captains or Subalterns.* —	6	18	0	
Do. to the General Officer —	6	18	0	
Bt. Inspector General of Hospitals	68	3	6	*To Aides-de-camp & Subalterns the Staff and Island allowances of a Captain are granted.*
Staff Surgeon— — —	23	19	0	
Assistant do. — — —	12	10	0	
Apothecary to the Forces —	13	5	0	

* The situation of Assistant Military Secretary being held by the Aide-de-Camp to the General Officer, the allowance is not drawn—this allowance not being granted for more than one Staff Situation.

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CENSUS, TAKEN IN THE YEAR 1835.

[Extracted from the Reports of the Government Agents and the Assistant Military Secretary.]

RETURN OF THE POPULATION AND OF THE MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, AND DEATHS, FOR 1835.

Province.	Area in Square Miles.	Whites.		Free Blacks.		Slaves.		Total.		Aliens and Resident Strangers.	Population to the square mile.	Persons employed in			Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			Agriculture.	Manufactures.	Commerce.			
Western Province	4,452	1,275	1,273	257,144	235,461	373	332	258,792	237,066	1,829	111.78	†111,601	13,391	†11,456	10,377	4,960	6,887
Southern Do..	6,032	559	599	142,810	121,780	431	342	143,800	122,721	573	44.27	71,694	11,366	9,040	11,292	1,787	5,087
Eastern Do..	4,895	*415	*395	*25,844	*23,536	*12	*11	*26,271	*23,942	*3,143	10.90	*8,930	*3,017	*1,427	*1,546	*465	*1,165
Northern Do.	6,053	478	518	112,223	112,928	12,605	11,910	125,306	125,356	‡1,446	41.65	‡67,662	‡18,992	‡12,454	‡4,323	‡1,174	‡2,491
Central Do..	3,016	185	144	84,321	71,541	687	694	85,693	72,379	3,834	53.68	84,727	3,931	8,531	2,431	1,816	1,570
Total, Exclusive of the Military	24,448	2,912	2,929	622,842	565,246	14,108	13,289	639,862	581,464	10,825	50.39	344,614	50,697	42,908	29,969	10,202	17,200
Military & Civil Ordnance Officers with their Families.																	
Western Province	4,452	1,145	292	1,482	1,183	,,	,,	2,627	1,475	,,	.92	,,	,,	,,	88	36	121
Southern Do.	6,032	209	79	522	496	,,	,,	731	575	,,	.21	,,	,,	,,	23	9	36
Eastern Do.	4,895	521	124	352	253	,,	,,	873	377	,,	.25	,,	,,	,,	25	6	89
Northern Do.	6,053	14	21	266	210	,,	,,	280	231	,,	.08	,,	,,	,,	13	6	12
Central Do.	3,016	715	160	1,001	629	,,	,,	1,716	789	,,	.83	,,	,,	,,	77	25	28
Total Military..	24,448	2,604	676	3,623	2,771	,,	,,	6,227	3,447	,,	.39	,,	,,	,,	231	82	286
Grand Total...	24,448	5,516	3,605	626,465	568,017	14,108	13,289	646,089	584,911	10,825	50.79	344,614	50,697	42,908	30,200	10,284	17,486

POPULATION OF CEYLON....1,241,825.

† *Excepting the Seven Korles Division where no Return has been kept.*

* *Excepting the Bintenne Division where no Return has been kept.*

‡ *Excepting the Nuwerekalawiye Division where no Return has been kept.*

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Tables of Roads throughout the Island.

No. 1.—Road round the Island
No. 2.—From Colombo to Kandy
No. 3.—From Kandy to Trincomalie
No. 4.—From Colombo by Kurnegalle and Damboola to Trincomalie
No. 5.—Arippo to Anarajapoora and Damboola,
No. 6.—Putlam to Kandy,
No. 7.—Kurnegalle to Damboola
No. 8.—Kurnegalle to Negombo, by the right bank of the Maha-oya,
No. 9.—Kurnegalle to Negombo, by the left bank of the Maha-oya,
No. 10.—Colombo by Ambegammua and Kotmalle to Baddoolla
No 11.—Colombo by Ratnapoora to Adam's Peak,
No. 12.—Kandy to Baddoolla by Ooma-oya,
No. 13.—Kandy to Nuwera-Ellia,
No. 14.—Ruanwelle to Ballapane

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TABLES OF ROADS IN THE ISLAND OF CEYLON.

No. 1.—ROAD ROUND THE ISLAND, FROM COLOMBO, NORTHWARD, AND RETURNING BY THE SOUTH.

N. B.—The distances are measured from the King's House in the Fort of Colombo

Names of Places.	Miles	Furlongs	Yards	Total Miles	Total Furlongs	Total Yards	Principal Rivers: Names	Fresh or Salt	Ferry or Ford	Remarks.
To the Bridge of Boots.....	3	2	0							
— Ja-elle	9	2	127				Daneoegam	Fresh..		Rest House
— Negombo.....	10	3	93	23	0	0	Negombo	do.....	Ferry..	Fort—Rest House—A road from hence to Kurunaiagalle
— Maha-Oya (Topoo Ferry)	5	0	0	28	0	0				
— Kirimettiâné	6	0	0	34	0	0				
— Bridge of Ging-Oya	4	2	0	38	2	0				
— Nattande	1	0	0	39	2	0	.....	.....	.....	Rest House
— Bridge of Kaddoopitté Oya	5	6	0	45	0	0				
— Madampé.....	0	4	0	45	4	0				
— Chilaw or Sâlawé.....	7	4	0	53	0	0	Chilaw	Salt....	Ferry..	Fort—Rest House—A road from hence to Kurunaiagalle
— Dedro-Oya	2	0	0	55	0	0				
— Battooloo-Oya	10	2	0	65	2	0	....	.....	.....	Rest House
— Moondel	4	0	0	69	2	0				
— Marrundamkoollé	7	4	0	76	6	0	.....	.....	.....	Rest House
— Putlam.....	8	0	0	84	6	0	.....	.....	.....	Fort—Rest House—A road from hence to Kurunaiagalle—and water conveyance to Calpentyn
— Nellioh ar	5	0	0	89	6	0				
— Wannatavillè	6	4	0	96	2	0				
— Pomparippoo (the River so called)	7	0	0	103	2	0	Pomparippo....	Fresh..	Ford ..	Rest House beyond the River
— Pomparippo.....	4	0	0	107	2	0				
— Marrandè..... ...	8	6	0	116	0	0				
— Marritchicatty.....	7	6	0	123	6	0	River..... ...	Salt....	do.....	Rest House beyond the River

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To Kallar Pagoda	7	5	10	131	3	110	Kalaar	Salt	Ford	[road to Anarajapoora—See Table 5.
— Koudâtchie	5	0	0	136	3	110	Kalaar	do	do	Pearl Banks—From hence a new
— Arrippo	4	7	0	141	2	110	Arrippo	do	Ferry	Small Fort—Rest House
— Bangallè	8	0	0	149	2	110				
— Mantotte Church	4	4	0	153	6	110				Rest House
— Woodettédivoo	9	1	0	162	7	110				
— Illippekadavé	5	7	0	168	6	110				Rest House
— Pali-ar	6	2	0	175	0	110				
— Polleverâyenkattoo	8	6	0	183	6	110				Rest House
— Vonwaltongé	6	6	165	190	5	55				
— Sembencoondu	5	4	55	196	1	110				
— Poonêryn	5	2	55	201	3	165				Fort—Rest House
— Kalmoonnè	13	7	110	215	3	55				
— Colombo torre	3	2	0	218	6	55				
— Jaffna	3	0	0	221	5	55	Jaffna	Salt	Ferry	Fort—Here you turn off to Point Pedro 21 miles
— Claly	17	4	0	239	1	55				
— Pass Bishuter	16	0	0	255	1	55				
— Coondè Colo m	15	0	0	270	1	55				
— Mâtelen	12	1	0	282	2	55				
— Moolladivoo	10	5	55	292	7	110	Moolladivoo	do	Ford	Fort—Rest House
— Alembiel	8	5	0	301	4	110				
— Kokelay	15	1	0	316	5	110				
— Tirriâi	11	6	55	328	3	165				
— Cutchavellè	8	3	0	336	6	165				Rest House
— Nilâvellé	13	1	100	350	0	45				Rest House
— Salt River	4	6	0	354	6	45				
— Trincomalie (Govt. House)	3	3	100	358	1	155				Fort, Military Garrison
— Tamblegam	15	2	0	373	3	155				
— Kottéar	12	3	0	385	6	155				
— Tôpootorré	9	1	0	394	7	155				
— Anedivoo	13	3	195	408	3	130				
— Virgel (River)	2	3	0	410	6	130	Moleade	Fresh	Ford	
— Kaddiravallè	4	0	0	414	6	130				
— Pannitchancanie	9	9	133	424	5	43	Pannitchancanie	Salt	Ferry	

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To Kommollandam Moonè.....	15	5	157	440	2	200				
— Nalloor.....	4	3	52	444	6	32				
— Erraoor	10	0	22	454	6	54	Erraoor.....	Salt	Ferry	
— Batticaloa	8	7	65	463	5	119	Lake	„	„	Fort, Military Post.
— Naypaari Moonnè.....	17	1	135	480	7	34				
— Wambimodu	7	5	141	488	4	175				
— Tricoil	16	3	60	505	0	15				
— Komārie	11	1	146	516	1	161				
— Pattivilla	8	7	164	525	1	105				
— Arrookgam	2	6	37	527	7	142				
— Panoah.....	9	4	154	537	4	76				
— Oohundamallè.....	8	5	55	546	1	131				
— Koombookkan-ar	12	4	176	558	6	87	Koombookkan-ar	Fresh	Ferry	
— Pot-ānè.....	7	7	175	566	6	42				
— Yallè.....	10	0	172	576	6	214	Manick Ganga..	„	„	
— Paloottoopāne.....	11	2	183	588	1	177	....	....	..... .	Fort.
— Mahagam (River).....	9	2	70	597	4	27	Kirinde.....	Fresh	Ferry	
— Hambantotte	14	4	22	612	0	49	.....	.....	.....	Fortified Post.
— Wallavay (River)	8	3	30	620	3	79	Wallavay.....	Fresh	Ford ..	
— Raunè	10	7	195	631	3	54	Raunè	„	„	
— Tangalle	8	7	62	640	2	116	..... .	....	.....	Fort.
— Deekvella.....	10	7	33	651	1	149				
— Mātura.....	12	0	33	663	1	182	Mātoorra	Fresh	Bridge	Fort.
— Belligam or Velligamma	11	0	44	674	2	6				
— Galle.....	16	6	126	691	0	132	..... .	....	.....	Fort, Military Post.
— Hiccode or Sèep Kaddu.....	12	1	0	703	1	132				
— Amblamgodda.....	7	0	0	710	1	132	Madampé.....	Fresh	Bridge	
— Kossgodda	6	0	0	716	1	132				
— Bentotte	8	6	0	724	7	132	Bentotte	„	Ferry	Rest House.
— Barbareen	6	6	0	731	5	132				
— Caltura.....	5	4	0	737	1	132	.....	.....	„	Rest House.
— Pantura	10	6	0	747	7	132	....	.....	„	Rest House.
— Galkissè (Mount Lavinia).....	8	2	0	756	1	132				
— Colombo	7	0	0	763	1	132	.....	.....	..... .	Fort.

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No. 2.—Road from Colombo to Kandy.

Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Total.*			*Remarks.*
				M.	*F.*	*Y.*	
To the Bridge of Boats —	3	2	0				
— Maharré — ———	5	1	0	8	3	0	Rest House on the right.
— Kosrupe ———	6	5	0	15	0	0	Mail Coach station.
— Henneratgoddé ———	8	4	0	16	7	0	Rest House on the left—Barrack on the right.
— Kallegeddeheene ———	5	1	0	22	0	0	Mail Coach station.
— Veangodde ———	8	2	42	25	1	42	Rest House on the right.
— Vaweldenia ———	4	6	178	30	0	0	Mail Coach station.
— Warakapollé- ———	10	1	107	35	2	149	
— Ambapoossé ———	1	2	88	36	5	17	Rest House on the left.
— Ballapané ———	7	2	10	43	7	27	
— Ambanpittia ———	2	0	193	46	0	0	Mail Coach station.
— Ootooankandé ———	10	5	180	54	4	207	RestHouse on the right—Mail Coach station.
— Kadooganava ———	6	1	14	60	6	1	Rest House on the right.
— Mahavillaganga (Peradenia Bridge)———	7	2	67	68	0	68	
— Kandy ———	3	7	152	72			

No. 3.—Road from Kandy to Trincomalie.

To the left Bank of the Mahavillaganga.. ..	2	6	150				
— Wahagalle ella, the limit between Doombera and Harrasiapattoo	3	0	190	5	7	120	
— Maccoolloo ella (Poossepittya)	2	4	130	8	4	30	
— The top of Ballacaddua Pass	1	3	190	10	0	0	Tappal House on the left.
— The foot of the Pass at Kallalpittya	2	2	150	12	2	150	
— Fort Macdowall or Pannagamma	3	7	70	16	2	0	Station of Asst. Agent and District Judge.
— Pallapat Ella	7	7	0	24	1	0	Rest House &c. on the left
— Nalandé	15	0	0	31	2	0	Tappal station on the right
— Lennadorra..	7	0	160	38	2	160	Do.
— Damboola	7	0	139	45	3	79	Rest House on the right.
— Innamallowe	4	3	119	46	6	198	Tappal station.
— Oulandangawa	6	5	115	56	4	93	Village and tank.
— Habbooremné	2	4	182	59	1	55	Village and tank at a short distance—on the left of the road a tappal station.
— Talbaddegalla	3	0	60	62	4	115	3 wells ; water-course on the right,
— Gal-Oya, right bank ..	6	5	30	68	1	145	Rest house and tappal station—The Mylamcolum spring one mile off the road, delicious water.

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No. 3.—ROAD FROM KANDY TO TRINCOMALIE—*continued.*

Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Total.* M.	F.	Y.	*Remarks.*
To Nayapané Pass	4	5	90	73	4	15	
— Alootvevā-Oya	1	6	145	75	2	160	Tappal station—good water.
— Talgahā-Ella, right bank	6	0	80	81	3	20	Water course on the left.
— Kandian Limits	2	3	195	83	6	215	An ebony tree with stones round it.
— Gantelaiwa	4	1	46	88	0	41	Rest House.
— Wenyron Colom	2	1	164	90	1	505	Tappal station—good water.
— Pallampoota	12	3	85	102	5	70	Tappal station—water-course.
— Trincomalie	10	4	51	113	1	121	Head Quarters of Military Commandant—Station of Government Agent and District Judge.

No. 4.—ROAD FROM COLOMBO, BY KURNEGALLE AND DAMBOOLA, TO TRINCOMALIE.

To Ambepusse—*see Table No. 2*				36	5	17	
— Maha-Oya (Alauwé Ferry)	4	4	203	41	2	0	
— Polgawelle	6	4	0	47	6	0	Rest House on the left.
— Kurnegalle	10	2	0	58	0	0	Do. Do. District Judge & Asst. Agent.
— Dedderoo-Oya	5	3	0	63	3	0	
— Ibbagammua-Oya	2	7	0	66	2	0	
— Polegola	2	7	0	69	1	0	
— Ambanpola	3	0	0	72	1	0	
— Himbalwana-Oya	2	4	0	74	5	0	
— Omaragola Ella	3	6	0	78	3	0	
— Gallawella	4	5	120	83	0	120	
— Tolumbagola	2	0	100	85	1	0	
— Damboola-Oya	5	4	117	90	5	117	
— the Junction Kandy road	2	0	112	92	6	9	6 Furlongs to Damboola Rest House.
— Trincomalie—*see Table No. 3*				113	1	128	

No. 5.—FROM THE DORIC AT ARIPPO TO ANARAJAPOORA BY THE NEW ROAD, AND THENCE TO DAMBOOLA.

From the Doric							
To Şilāwatorre	2	3	165				
— Kalaar	7	4	80	10	0	25	
— Kirritenna Veditté	6	3	44	16	3	69	Rest House
— Paymaddoo	8	4	132	24	7	201	
— Oyamaddoo	8	1	0	33	0	201	Rest House
— Alleaparté	4	7	132	38	0	113	
— Anarajapoorre	6	7	60	44	7	173	
— Tirrappankaddawetta	12	4	0	57	3	173	
— Mānawevva	9	5	0	67	0	173	
— Nickinniawé	8	5	0	75	5	173	
— Damboola Viharé	16	0	0	91	5	173	Rest House

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No. 6.—From Putlam, through Kurnegalle, to Kandy.

Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Total.* *M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Remarks*
From Putlam							
To Katjemadowé	12	0	0				
— Dohanaeamma	11	0	0	23	0	0	
— Bogallegamma	10	0	0	33	0	0	
— Pädennie	10	0	0	43	0	0	
— Kalloommooné	8	4	0	51	4	0	
— Kurnegalle	7	4	0	59	0	0	
— Kosspottu-Oya	8	4	0	67	4	0	
— Maddawallatenné	6	2	160	73	6	160	
— Mahavillaganga	8	5	72	82	4	12	
— Entrance of the Tunnel	1	3	100	83	7	112	The Tunnel is 500 feet in length.
— Kandy	1	4	48	84	3	160	

No. 7.—Road from Kurnegalle to Damboola.

To Dedderoo-Oya	5	3	0			
— Ibbagammua-Oya	2	7	0	8	2	0
— Polegola	2	7	0	11	1	0
— Ambanpola	3	0	0	14	1	0
— Himbalwana-Oya	2	4	0	16	5	0
— Gallawella	8	3	120	25	0	120
— Damboola	7	4	217	32	5	117

No. 8.—Road from Kurnegalle to Negombo, by the right bank of the Maha-Oya, or Kaymel River.

To Wisenawé	14	0	0			
—Novagamuwe	9	0	0	23	0	0
—Maderegamuwe	12	0	0	35	0	0
—Kaymel	12	0	0	47	0	0
—Negombo	5	0	0	52	0	0

No. 9.—Road from Kurnegalle to Negombo, by the left bank of the Maha-Oya, or Kaymel River.

To Nagahabiddra	11	0	0			
—Girrioolla	11	0	0	22	0	0
—Kottadeniawé	6	0	0	28	0	0
—Halpé	10	0	0	38	0	0
—Negombo	9	0	0	47	0	0

No. 10.—From Colombo by Ambegammua, and Kotmalle to Baddoolla.

To Kaddoowellé	10	0	0				
— Hangwellé	8	0	0	18	0	0	Rest House
— Avisahavéllé	11	0	0	29	0	0	. . . . .
— Ruanwellé	9	0	0	36	0	0	Fort. . . . .
— Ford of Vai-Oya	4	6	0	40	6	0	. . . . .
— Gannipallé	5	7	0	46	5	0	Rest House. *
— Tallegammé	2	2	0	48	7	0	The Kalani Ganga is navigable to this point.

**By going direct from Avisahavéllé to Tallegammé the distance is shortened by several miles.*

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No. 10.—FROM COLOMBO BY AMBEGAMMUA AND KOTMALLE TO BADDOOLLA—*cont.*

Names of Places.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Total.*			*Remarks.*
				M.	*F.*	*Y.*	
From Tallegammé							
To Kittoolgallé	2	4	0	51	3	0	Rest House.
— Ambegammua	7	6	0	59	1	0	Rest House.
— Pāsbagé	6	3	0	65	4	0	Crossing here, to the left bank of the Kotmallé Oya, a path leads by Moroppé into the new road to Nuwera Ellia, near Poosalawé.
— Habboogastalāwe	2	5	10	68	1	10	
— Tispanné	2	2	210	70	4	0	
— Poohoolpettia	3	6	180	74	2	180	
— Halweltotté	4	2	0	78	4	180	
— Kiriwellemāné	2	7	0	81	3	180	
— Nuwera Ellia	8	2	0	89	5	180	Mily. Station—RestHouse
— Fort McDonald (or Parunagammé)	13	4	0	103	1	180	
— Ooma Oya	7	1	20	110	2	200	
— Hembleattawellé	3	7	66	114	2	46	
— Bāddoolla	8	2	18	122	4	64	Mily. Station.

No. 11.—FROM COLOMBO BY RATNAPOORA TO ADAM'S PEAK.

To Kaddoovellé	10	0	0				
— Hangwellé	8	0	0	18	0	0	Rest House.
— Avisahavēlle	11	0	0	29	0	0	Rest House.
— The limits	1	4	0	30	4	0	
— Kandangammé	6	0	0	36	4	0	
— Panniagalle (Temple)	1	6	0	38	2	0	
— Nakandella	1	6	0	40	0	0	Rest House.
— Talawittia	1	6	0	41	6	0	
— Pohorembie, or Kohurunbāvé	3	4	0	45	2	0	
— Koorroovitta	5	4	0	50	6	0	Rest House.
— Ratnapoora	7	6	0	58	4	0	Fort.
— Gille Mallé	7	2	0	65	6	0	
— Pallabaddoolla	4	4	0	70	2	0	
— Diabetmé	4	0	0	74	2	0	
— Adam's Peak or Sreepaddé	4	0	0	78	2	0	

No. 12.—FROM KANDY TO BADDOOLLA BY OOMA-OYA.

To Koondesale Ferry	3	7	155			
— Talatoo-Oye	0	2	140	4	2	75
— Harrackgammé-Oya	5	0	203	9	3	58
— Maha-Oya	2	0	37	11	3	95
— Gonnegammé	3	4	125	15	0	0
— Bellahool-Oya	3	2	0	18	2	0
— Kooroondu-Oya	4	5	0	22	7	0
— Ooma-Oya	5	6	0	28	5	0
— Vella-Oya	6	3	0	35	0	0
— Taldenne	9	0	110	44	0	110
— Badoolla	9	7	7	53	7	117

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No. 13.—Road from Kandy to Nuwera Ellia.

Names.	*M.*	*F.*	*Y.*	*Total.*			*Remarks.*
				M.	*F.*	*Y.*	
To Gampalla	13	0	0				Rest House. From hence to Pashāgé 6½ miles.
— Poosalawé	8	0	0	21	0	0	Rest House.
— Rambodde	11	1	40	32	1	40	Rest House.
— Nuwera Ellia	15	2	0	47	3	40	Rest House.

No. 14.—From Ruanwelle to Ballapanne.

To Aranderré	11	0	0			
— Ballapanné	5	0	0	16	0	0

LATITUDES AND LONGITUDES.

	Latitude.	*Longitude.*	*Authors.*
Basses (Great)	6° 13′ 0″	81° 46′ 0″	Norie
Basses (Little)	6 24 30	81 55 0	Norie
Batticaloa Roads	7 44 0	81 52 0	Norie
Belligam Bay	5 57 30	80 33 20	From Mr. Twynam's (Master Attendant of Galle) Survey
Calamatta Bay	6 4 7	81 2 58	From Mr. Twynam's (Master Attendant of Galle) Survey
Colombo	6 57 0	80 0 0	Madras Almanac
Dodandowé Bay	6 6 47	80 14 24	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Dondra Head	5 55 15	80 42 50	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Foul Point	8 30 27	81 30 12	From Mr. Brook's Survey
Galle	6 1 46	80 20 0	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Gandore	5 55 42	80 44 30	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Hambantotte	6 6 58	81 14 44	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Kandy	7 18 0	80 49 0	Geodesically
Mahawelle Bay	5 59 30	80 52 15	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Matura	5 56 26	80 40 7	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Nillewelle Bay	5 57 37	80 50 21	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Point Pedro	9 49 30	80 24 0	Norie
Tangalle	6 1 16	80 54 48	From Mr. Twynam's Survey
Trincomalie	8 33 0	81 24 0	Madras Almanac
Vendelo's Inlet	7 57 0	81 44 0	Norie

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HEIGHTS OF SOME OF THE PRINCIPAL MOUNTAINS, &C. IN THE INTERIOR OF CEYLON.

[L *by levelling*; △. *by geodesical operations.*]

	Heights above the Sea in English feet.	*Means.*
Upper Lake in Kandy — — — — —	1678	L
Mattan Pattanna, the hill above it — — —	3192	△
Oorrangalle, the rocky ridge of Hantanné to the Southward of the Town — — — —	4380	△
Hoonnasagiria Peak — — — — —	4990	△
"The Knuckles" a part of the same chain —	6180	△
Highest point in the road leading through the Kaddooganawa Pass — — — — —	1731	L
Adam's Peak — — — — — — —	7420	△
Kammoonakoollé near Baddoolla — — —	6740	△
Amboolluawe near Gampalla — — — —	3540	△
Pedrotallagalla, close to the Rest House of Nuwera Ellia — — — — — —	7280	△
Diatalawé near Hangooranketté — — —	5030	△
Alloogalle near Amoonapoore — — — —	3440	△
Plain of Nuwera Ellia — — — — —	6210	△
Plain of Wilmanie — — — — — —	6990	△
Totapella — — — — — — — —	7720	△
Kirrigalpotta — — — — — — —	7810	△

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PART III.

ROYAL FAMILY AND GOVERNMENT OF GREAT BRITAIN,
MINISTRY OF ENGLAND,
HOUSE OF LORDS,
HOUSE OF COMMONS,
FOREIGN MINISTERS IN ENGLAND AND KING'S MINISTERS ABROAD,
GOVERNORS OF BRITISH COLONIES,
REVENUE FOR 1835-36,
STATIONS OF THE ARMY,
STATIONS OF THE NAVY,
BRITISH & FOREIGN ORDERS,

EAST INDIA COMPANY'S GOVERNMENTS,
NATIVE STATES NOT UNDER BRITISH PROTECTION,
NATIVE STATES WITH WHICH SUBSIDIARY TREATIES EXIST,
NATIVE STATES UNDER BRITISH PROTECTION BUT WITHOUT SUBSIDIARY TREATIES,
FOREIGN INDEPENDENT STATES,
AREA AND POPULATION OF PRESIDENCIES,
BRITISH ACQUISITIONS IN INDIA,
NATIVE STATES ESTABLISHED BY THE BRITISH,
STATE PENSIONERS AND PENSIONS OF THE E.I. COMPANY.

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THE ROYAL FAMILY OF GREAT BRITAIN.

THE KING.

WILLIAM IV., born August 21, 1765; married July 11, 1818, to ADELAIDE AMELIA LOUISA THERESA CAROLINE, sister of the reigning Duke of Saxe-Meiningen, born August 13, 1792.

Royal Princes and Princesses.

Augusta Sophia, born Nov. 8, 1768.

Elizabeth, born May 22, 1770; married April 7, 1818, to Frederick Joseph Lewis, Landgrave of Hesse-Homburg, who died April 2, 1829, in his 61st year.

Ernest Augustus, Duke of Cumberland, born June 5, 1771; married May 29, 1815, Frederica Sophia Carolina, daughter of the Duke of Mecklenburg Strelitz, and widow of Fred. William, Prince of Salms Braunfels, born May 2, 1778. *Issue*, George Frederick, born May 27, 1819.

Augustus Frederick, Duke of Sussex, born January 27, 1773.

Adolphus Frederick, Duke of Cambridge, born February 24, 1774; married May 7 1818, to Augusta Wilhelmina Louisa, niece of the Landgrave of Hesse, born July 25, 1797. *Issue*, George William, born March 26, 1819. Augusta Caroline, born July 19, 1822.

Mary, Duchess of Gloucester, born April 23, 1776.

Sophia, born November 3, 1777.

LIVING HEIRS TO THE BRITISH THRONE.

	Age in 1837.
Princess Alexandrina Victoria of Kent	18
Ernest Augustus, Duke of Cumberland	66
George Fred. Alex. Ch. Ern. Aug. of Cumberland — — —	18
Augustus Frederick, Duke of Sussex	64
Adolphus Frederick, Duke of Cambridge	63
George William of Cambridge —	18
Augusta Caroline of Cambridge —	15
Augusta Sophia of England —	69
Elizabeth, Landgravine of Hesse Homburg	67
Mary, Duchess of Gloucester —	61
Princess Sophia of England —	60
Princess Sophia Matilda of Gloucester	64
Charles Fred. Aug. William, late reigning Duke of Brunswick and Lunenburg	33
William, reigning Duke of Brunswick and Lunenburg — — —	31

Augustus of Brunswick, Uncle of the two last, after whom comes the House of Wurtemburg, embracing Frederica Catherina, wife of Jerome Napoleon, and also their Son; after whom the succession would go to the House of Denmark, to that of the King of the Netherlands, and the family of the Elector of Hesse Cassel.

MINISTRY OF ENGLAND.

Lord President of the Council, Marquis of Lansdowne.

Lord Privy Seal and Woods and Forests, Viscount Duncannon.

First Lord of the Treasury, Viscount Melbourne.

Chancellor of the Exchequer, Right Hon. T. Spring Rice.

Secretary of State Home Affairs, Lord John Russell.

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Paymaster-General, Sir Henry Parnell.

Master of the Mint, Right Hon. H. Labouchere.

Postmaster-General, Earl of Lichfield.

Secretary for Ireland, Viscount Morpeth

Commander of the Forces, Lord Hill.

Master General of the Ordnance, Lieut.-General Sir R. Hussey Vivian.

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THE HOUSE OF PEERS.

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Abercorn, *Marq. of*, 1790, Hamilton, * *o*
Abercrombie, *Lord*, 1801
Abergavenny, *E. of*, 1784, Neville
Abingdon, *E. of*, 1682, Bertie
Abinger, Lord, 1835, Scarlett
Ailesbury, *Marq. of*, 1821, Bruce
Ailsa, *M. of*, 1831 (*Cassilis)
Airlie. *Earl of*, 1639. Bruce, *a*
Albemarle, *Earl of*, 1696, Keppel
Alvanley, *Ld.* 1801, Arden
Amherst, *Earl*, 1826
Anglesea, *M. of*, 1815, Paget
Arbuthnot *Viscount*, 1641 *a*
Arden, *Lord*, 1802, Perceval
Ardrossan, *L.* 1806 (*Eglinton, *E.*)
Arundel, *L.* 1605
Ashburnham, *Earl of*, 1730
Ashburton, *Ld.* 1885. Baring
Auckland. *Ld.* 1793, Eden *o*
Audley, *Lo.* 1296, Tuchet
Aylesford, *E. of*, 1714, Finch
Bagot, *Lord*, 1780
Bangor, *B. of*, 1830, Bethell
Barham, *Lord*, 1805, Noel
Bath, *Marq. of*, 1789, Thynne
Bath and Wells, *Bishop of*, 1824, George H. Law
Bathurst, *Earl*, 1772
Bayning, *Lord*, 1797, Powlett
Beauchamp, *E.* 1815, Pindar
Beaufort, *Duke of*, 1682, Somerset
Bedford, *Duke of*, 1694, Russell
Belmore, *E. of*, 1797, Corry, *b*
Beresford, *Viscount*, 1823
Berkeley, *Earl of*, 1697
Berners, *Lord*, rest. 1832, Wilson
Berwick, *Lord*, 1784, Hill
Beverley, *Earl of*, 1790, Percy
Bexley, *Lord*, 1823, Vansittart
Bolingbroke, *Viscount*, 1712, St. John
Bolton, *Lord*, 1797, Powlett
Boston, *Lord*. 1761, Irby
Boyle, *L.* 1711 (*o* Cork *E.*)
Bradford, *Earl of*, 1815, Bridgman
Brandon, *D.* 1711 (*Hamilton, *D.*)
Braybrooke, *Lord*, 1788, Griffin
Breadalbane, *M. of*, 1831 Campbell*
Bristol, *Bp. of*, 1827, Allen
Bristol, *Marq. of*, 1826, Hervey
Brodrick, *Lord*, 1796, (*o* Midleton, *V.*)
Brougham and Vaux, *Lord*, 1830
Brownlow, *Earl*, 1815, Cust
Buckingham and Chandos, *Duke of*, 1822, Grenville *o*
Buckinghamshire. *Earl of*, 1746, Hampden
Burlington, *Earl of*, 1831 Cavendish
Bute, *Marq. of*, 1796, Stuart*
Byron, *Lord*, 1643
Cadogan, *Earl*, 1800
Caledon, *E. of*, 1800, Alexander, *b*
Calthorpe, *Lord*, 1796
Cambridge, *Duke of*, 1801, Prince Adolphus Frederic
Camden, Lord, 1835, (Brecknock *E. o.*), Pratt,
Camden, *Marq.* 1812, Pratt
Camperdown, *E. of*, 1831, Haldane
Canterbury, *Abp. of*, 1829, Right Hon. W. Howley
Canterbury, *Viscount*, 1835. Sutton
Carbery, *Lord*, 1715, Freke, *b*
Cardigan, *Earl of*, 1661, Brudenell
Carleton, *Lord*, 1786, (*o* Shannon, *E.*)
Carlisle, *Bishop of*, 1827, Hon. Hugh Percy
Carlisle, *E. of*, 1661, Howard
Carnarvon, *Earl of*, 1793, Herbert
Carrick, *E. of*, 1748, Butler, *b*
Carrington, *Lord*, 1797, Smith, *o*
Carteret, *Lord*, 1794, Thynne
Carysfort, *Lord*, 1801, Proby, *o*
Cashel, *Abp. of* 1822 R. Lawrence, *b*
Cathcart, *Earl*, 1814*
Cawdor, *Earl of*, 1827, Campbell
Charlemont, *Earl of*, 1763, Caulfield *b*
Chaworth, *Lord*, 1831 (Meath, *E. o*)
Chester, *Bishop of*, 1828 J. B. Sumner
Chesterfield, *Earl of*, 1628, Stanhope
Chichester, *Bishop of*, 1831, E. Maltby

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Chichester, *Earl of*, 1801, Pelham
Cholmondeley, *Marq. of*, 1818 *o*
Churchill, *Lord*, 1815, Spencer
Clancarty, *Vis.* 1823, Trench, *b.*
Clanbrassil, *Lord*, 1821, (*o* Roden, *E.*)
Clanwilliam, *Lord*, 1828, Meade, *o*
Clarendon, *Earl of*, 1776, Villiers
Clements, *Lord*, 1831, (*o* Leitrim, *E.*)
Cleveland, *Duke of*, 1833, Vane
Clifford, *Lord*, 1672
Clifton, *Lord*, 1608, (*o* Darnley, *E.*)
Clinton, *Lord*, 1299, Trefusis
Cloncurry, *Lord*, 1831, Lawless, *o*
Colchester, *Lord*, 1817, Abbot
Colville, *Lord*, 1609, *a*
Combermere, *V.*, 1826, Cotton
Cornwallis, *Earl*, 1753, Mann
Cottenham, *Lord*, 1836, Pepys
Coventry, *Earl of*, 1697
Cowley, *Lord*, 1828, Wellesley
Cowper, *Earl*, 1718
Craven, *Earl*, 1801
Crewe, *Lord*, 1806 [Augustus, *o*
Cumberland, *Duke of*, 1799, Prince Ernest
Dacre, *Lord*, 1351, Brand
Dalhousie, *Lord*, 1815, Ramsay*
Dartmouth, *Earl of*, 1711, Legge
De Clifford, *Lord*, 1269, Russell
De Dunstanville, *Lord*, 1796, Basset
De Grey, *Earl*, 1816, Weddell
Delamere, *Lord*, 1821, Cholmondeley
Delawarr, *Earl*, 1761, West
Denbigh, *Earl of*, 1622, Fielding
Denman, *Lord*, 1834
Derby, *Earl of*, 1485, Stanley
De L'Isle and Dudley, Lord 1835, Sidney
De Roos, *Lord*, 1264
Derry, *Bp. of* 1831, Ponsonby
De Saumarez, *Lord*, 1831
De Tabley, *Lord*, 1826, Leycester
Devon, *Earl of*, rest, 1831 (Courtenay, *E.*)
Devonshire, *Duke of*, 1694, Cavendish
Digby, *Earl*, 1790, *o*
Dinorben, *Lord*, 1831, Hughes
Doncaster, *Earl*, 1662, (*Buccleugh, *D.*)
Donegall, *Vis.* 1785, *b*, St. Leger
Dorchester, *Lord*, 1786, Carleton
Dormer, *Lord*, 1615
Dorset, *Duke of*, 1720, Germaine
Douglas, *Lord*, 1790
Dover, *Lord*, 1831, Ellis (*o* Clifden, *Visc.*)
Downes, *Lord*, *b*
Dublin *Abp. of*, 1831 Wakley, *b*
Ducie, *Lord*, 1763, Morton
Dunalley, *Lord*, 1800, Prittie, *b*
Duncannon, *Lord*, 1834, Ponsonby
Dundas, *Lord*, 1794
Dunmore, *Lord*, 1831, (Dunmore, *E.**)
Durham, *Bp. of*, 1826
Durham, *Earl of*, 1833, Lambton
Dynevor, *Lord*, 1780, Rice
Egremont, *Earl of*, 1749, Wyndham
Eldon, *Earl of*, 1821, Scott
Elgin, *Earl of*, 1633, Bruce, *a*
Ellenborough, *Lord*, 1802, Law
Elphinstone, *Lord*, 1509, *a*
Ely, *Bp. of*, 1812, E. B. Sparke
Enniskillen, *Earl of*, 1789, Cole, *b*
Erne, *Earl of*, 1789, Creighton, *b*
Erskine, *Lord*, 1806
Essex, *Earl of*, 1661, Capel Coningsby
Exeter, *Bp. of*, 1830, Philpotts
Exeter, *Mar. of*, 1801, Cecil
Exmouth, *Vis.* 1816, Pellew
Falmouth, *Earl of*, 1821, Boscawen
Farnborough, *Lord*, 1826, Long
Farnham, *Lord*, 1756, Barry, *b*
Ferrers, *Earl*, 1711, Shirley
Feversham, *Lord*, 1826, Duncombe
Fisherwick, *Lord*, 1796, (*o* Donegal, *M.*)
Fitzgerald, Lord, 1835
Fitzgibbon, *Lord*, 1799, (*o* Clare, *E.*)
Fife, *Lord*, 1827, (*o* Fife, *E.*) [kett
Fingall, *Lord*, 1830, (*o* Fingall, *E.*) Plun-
Fitzwilliam, *Earl*, 1746, *o*
Foley, *Lord*, 1766
Forbes, *Lord*, before 1436, *a*
Forester, *Lord*, 1821,
Fortescue, *Earl*, 1789
Gage, *Lord*, 1790, *o*
Gambier, *Lord*, 1807
Gardner, *Lord*, 1806
Gifford, *Lord*, 1824
Glenelg, *Lord* 1835, Grant.
Glengall, *Earl of*, 1816, Butler, *b*
Glenlyon, *Lord*, 1821, Murray
Gloucester, *Bp. of*, 1830, J. H. Monk
Godolphin, *Lord*, 1832, Osborne
Gordon, *Vis.* 1814 (*Aberdeen, *E.*)
Gort, *Vis.* 1816, Vereker, *b*
Gower, *Lord*, 1703
Grafton, *Duke of*, 1675, Fitzroy
Graham, *Earl*, 1722, (*Montrose, *D.*)
Granard, *Lord*, 1806, Forbes
Grantley, *Lord*, 1782, Norton
Granville, *Earl*, 1833, Gower
Gray, *Lord*, 1437, *a*
Grey, *Earl*, 1806
Grey of Groby, *Lord*, 1832
Guilford, *Earl of*, 1752, North
Hamilton, *Lord*, 1831, (Belhaven, *L.**)
Harborough, *Earl of*, 1719, Sherard, *o*
Harcourt, *Earl*, 1749
Hardwicke, *Earl of*, 1754, Yorke
Harewood, *Earl of*, 1812, Lascelles
Harrington, *Earl of*, 1742, Stanhope

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Harris, *Lord*, 1815
Harrowby, *Earl of*, 1809, Ryder
Hastings, *Marq. of*, 1816, *o*
Hatherton, *Lord*, 1835, Littleton
Hawke, *Lord*, 1776
Hay, *Lord*, 1712 (*Kinnoul, *E.*)
Hereford, *Bishop of*, 1832, Hon. E. Grey
Hereford, *Vis.* 1550, Devereux
Hertford, *Marq. of*, 1793, Conway, *o*
Heytesbury, *Lord*, 1828, A'Court
Hill, *Lord*, 1814
Hillsborough, *Earl of*, 1772, (*o* Downshire,
Holland, *Lord*, 1762, Fox [*M.*)
Home, *Earl of*, 1604, Home-Ramsey, *a*
Hood, *Viscount*, 1796, *o*
Hopetoun, *Lord*, 1809, Hope, (*Hopetoun,
Howard of Effingham, *Lord*, 1554 [*E.*)
Howard de Walden, *Lord*, 1597, Ellis
Howden, *Lord*, 1831, Cradock, *o*
Howe, *Earl*, 1821
Howland, *Lord*, 1832, Russell
Huntingdon, *Earl of*, 1529, Hastings
Hutchinson, *Vis.* 1821, (*o* Donoughmore, *E.*)
Hunsdon, *Lord*, 1832, Carey, (Falkland, *V.**)
Ilchester, *Earl of*, 1756, Strangeways
Jersey, *Earl of*, 1697, Villiers, *o*
Kenlis, *Lord*, 1831, (Headfort, *M. o*)
Kenyon, *Lord*, 1788
Kerr, *Lord*, 1821, (*Lothian, *M.*)
Kildare, *Bp. of*, 1804, C. D. Lindsay [Carr
Kilmarnock, *Lord*, 1831, (*Errol, *E.*) Hay-
King, *Lord*, 1725
Kingston, *Lord*, 1821, King, *b*
Lake, *Vis.* 1807
Landaff, *Bp. of* 1827, E. Copleston
Langdale, *Lord*, 1836, Bickersteth
Lansdowne, *Marq. of*, 1784, Petty, *o*
Lauderdale, *Lord*, 1806, (*Lauderdale, *E.*)
Leeds, *Duke of*, 1694, *Osborne [ster, *D.*)
Leinster, *Vis.* 1747, Fitzgerald, *o* (Lein-
Leven, *Earl of*, 1641, Balgonrie, *a*
Lichfield, *Earl of*, 1831, Anson
Lichfield, *Bp. of*, 1824, Hon. H. Ryder
Lilford, *Lord*, 1797, Powis
Limerick, *Earl of*, 1815, Pery, *o*
Lincoln, *Bp. of*, 1827, J. Kaye
Lindsay, *Lord*, 1825, (*Balcarras, *E.*)
Lindsey, *Earl of*, 1826, Bertie
Liverpool, *Earl of*, 1796, Jenkinson
Loftus, *Lord*, 1801, (*o* Ely, *M.*)
London, *Bp. of*, 1828, C. J. Blomfield
Longford, *Earl of*, 1785, Pakenham, *b*
Lonsdale, *Earl of*, 1807, Lowther
Lorton, *Vis.* 1806, King, *b*
Lovel, *Lord*, 1762, (*o* Egmont, *E.*)
Lucan, *Earl of*, 1795, Bingham, *b*
Ludlow, *Lord*, 1831, (Ludlow, *E. o.*)
Lyndhurst, *Lord*, 1827, Copley
Lynedoch, *Lord*, 1814, Graham
Lyttleton, *Lord*, 1794, *o*
Macclesfield, *Earl of*, 1721, Parker
Malmesbury, *Earl of*, 1800, Harris
Manchester, *Duke of*, 1719, Montagu
Manners, *Lord*, 1807, Sutton
Mansfield, *Earl of*, 1792, Murray*
Manvers, *Earl*, 1806, Pierrepont
Marlborough, *Duke of*, 1702, Churchill
Maryborough, *Lord*, 1821, Pole
Maynard, *Viscount*, 1766
Mayo, *Earl of*, 1785, Bourke, *b*
Meath, *Bp. of*, 1823, Alexander
Melbourne, *Vicount*, 1815, Lamb, *o*
Meldrum, *Lord*, 1815, (*Aboyne, *E.*)
Melrose, *Lord*, 1827, (*Haddington, *E.*)
Melville, *Vis.* 1802, Dundas
Middleton, *Lord*, 1711, Willoughby
Minster, *Lord*, 1821 (*o* Conyngham, *M.*)
Minto, *Earl of*, 1813, Kynynmound
Monson, *Lord*, 1728
Montagu, *Lord*, 1786, Scott
Montfort, *Lord*, 1741, Bromley
Monteagle, *Lord*, 1806, (*o.* Sligo, *M.*)
Moore, *Lord*, 1801 (*o* Drogheda, *M.*)
Morley, *Earl of*, 1815, Parker
Morton, *Earl of*, 1457, Douglas, *a*
Mostyn, *Lord*, 1831, Lloyd
Mountcashel, *Earl of* 1781, Moore, *b*
Mount-Edgecumbe, *Earl*, 1789, Edge-
Mulgrave, *Earl of*, 1812, Phipps, *o* [cumbe
Munster, *Earl of*, 1831, Fitz-Clarence
Nelson, *Earl*, 1805
Newcastle, *Duke of*, 1756, Clinton
Norfolk, *Duke of*, 1483, Howard
Northampton, *Marq. of*, 1812, Compton
Northumberland, *Duke of*, 1766, Percy
Northwick, *Lord*, 1797, Rushout
Norwich, *Bishop of*, 1805, H. C. Bathurst
Oakley, *Lord*, 1831, Cadogan
O'Neill, *Earl* 1800, *b*
Onslow, *Earl*, 1801
Orford, *Earl of*, 1806, Walpole
Oriel, *Lord*, 1821, (Ferrard, *V. o.*)
Orkney, *Earl*, 1696, Kirkwall, *a*
Ormonde, *Lord*, 1821, (*o* Ormonde, *M.*)
Oxford, *Bishop of*, 1829, Richard Bagot
Oxford, *Earl of*, 1711, Harley
Paget, *Lord*, 1832
Panmure, *Lord*, 1831, Ramsay-Maule
Pembroke, *Earl of*, 1605, Herbert [ford, *Vis.*
Penshurst, *Lord*, 1824, Smythe, (*o* Strang-
Peterborough, *Bishop of*, 1819, Herbert
Petre, *Lord*, 1603 [Marsh
Plunket, *Lord*, 1827
Plymouth, *Earl of*, 1682, Windsor
Poltimore, *Lord*, 1831, Bamfylde
Pomfret, *Earl of*, 1721, Fermor

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Ponsonby, *Lord*, 1749, (*o* Besborough, *E.*)
Ponsonby, *Lord*, 1806
Portland, *Duke of*, 1716, Bentinck
Portsmouth, *Earl of*, 1743, Wallop
Poulett, *Earl*, 1706
Powis, *Earl of*, 1804, Clive
Prudhoe, *Lord*, 1816, Percy
Radnor, *Earl of*, 1765, Bouverie
Ranfurly, *Earl of*, 1831, (Knox, *o*)
Ravensworth, *Lord*, 1821, Liddell
Reay, *Lord*, *a*.
Redesdale, *Lord*, 1802, Mitford
Ribblesdale, *Lord*, 1797, Lister
Richmond, *Duke of*, 1675, Lennox
Ripon, *Earl*, 1833, Robinson
Rivers, *Lord*, 1776, Pitt
Rochester, *Bishop of*, 1827, G. Murray
Rodney, *Lord*, 1782
Rolle, *Lord*, 1796
Romney, *Earl of*, 1801, Marsham
Roseberry, *Lord*, 1828, Primrose*
Ross, *Lord*, 1815, (Glasgow, *E.**)
Rosse, *Earl of*, 1806, Parsons, *b*
Rossie, *Lord*, 1831, (*Kinnaird, *L.*)
Rosslyn, *Earl of*, 1801, Erskine
Rutland, *Duke of*, 1703, Manners
St. Alban's, *Duke of*, 1683, Beauclerk
St. Asaph, *Bishop of*, 1830, Carey
St. David's, *Bishop of*, 1825, J. B. Jen-
St. Germains, *Earl of*, 1815, Eliot [kinson
St. Helens, *Lord*, 1801, Fitzherbert
St. John, *Lord*, 1558
St. Vincent, *Vis.* 1801, Jervis
Salisbury, *Bp. of*, 1825, T. Burgess
Salisbury, *Marq. of*, 1789, Cecil
Saltersford, *Lord*, 1794, (*o* Courtown, *E.*)
Saltoun, *Lord*, 1445, Fraser, *a*
Sandwich, *Earl of*, 1660, Montagu
Sandys, *Lord*, 1802 (o Lord A. Hill)
Saye-and-Sele, *Lord*, 1603, Fiennes
Scarborough, *Earl of*, 1690, Saunderson, *o*
Scarsdale, *Lord*, 1761, Curzon
Seaford, *Lord*, 1826, Ellis
Sefton, *Earl of*, 1831, Molyneux
Segrave, *Lord*, 1831, Berkeley
Selkirk, *Earl*, 1646, Douglas, *a*
Selsey, *Lord*, 1794, Peachey
Shaftesbury, *Earl of*, 1672 Cooper
Sheffield, *Lord*, 1802, (*o* Sheffield, *E.*)
Sherborne, *Lord*, 1784, Dutton
Shrewsbury, *Earl of*, 1442, Talbot, *o*
Sidmouth, *Vis.* 1805, Addington
Sinclair, *Lord*, 1449, St. Clair, *a*
Skelmersdale, *Lord*, 1828, Wilbraham [*M.*)
Solway, *Lord*, 1833, Douglas(*a*Queensberry,
Somerhill, *Lord*, 1826, (*o* Clanricarde, *M.*)
Somers, *Earl*, 1821, Cocks
Somerset, *Duke of*, 1547, Seymour
Sondes, *Lord*, 1760, Watson
Southampton, *Lord*, 1780, Fitzroy
Spencer, *Earl*, 1765
Stafford, *Lord*, 1640, Jernyngham
Stamford, *Earl of*, 1628; Grey
Stanhope, *Earl*, 1718
Stanley, *Lord*, 1832
Stewart of Garlies, *Lord*, 1796, (*Galloway,
Stourton, *Lord*, 1448 [*E.*)
Stradbroke, *Earl of*, 1821, Rous
Strange, *Earl*, 1786 (*Atholl, *D.*)
Strathallan, *Viscount*, 1686, Drummond, *a*
Stuart of Castle Stuart, *Ld.* 1796, (*Moray, *E*)
Stuart de Rothsay, *Lord*, 1828, Stuart
Suffield, *Lord*, 1786, Harbord
Suffolk, *Earl of*, 1603, Howard
Sundridge and Hamilton, *Lord*, 1776,
(*Argyll, *D.*)
Sussex, *Duke of*, 1801, Prince Augustus, *e*
Sutherland, *Duke of*, 1833, Gower
Sydney, *Vis.* 1789, Townshend
Talbot, *Earl*, 1784, Chetwynd
Tankerville, *Earl of*, 1714, Bennet
Templemore, *Lord*, 1831, Chichester
Tenterden, *Lord*, 1827, Abbott
Teynham, *Lord*, 1616, Curzon
Thanet, *Earl of*, 1628, Tufton
Thomond, *Marq. of*, 1800, O'Brien, *o*
Thurlow, *Lord*, 1792
Torrington, *Vis.* 1721, Byng
Townshend, *Marq.* 1787
Tweeddale, *Marq. of*, 1694, Hay, *a*
Tyrone, *Lord*, 1786, (*o* Waterford, *M.*)
Vane, *Earl*, 1823, (*o* Londonderry, *M.*)
Vernon, *Lord*, 1762
Verulam, *Earl of* 1815, Grimston, *e*
Waldegrave, *Earl*, 1729
Wallace, *Lord*, 1828
Walsingham, *Lord*, 1780, De Grey
Ward, *Lord*, 1643
Warwick, *Earl*, 1747, Greville
Wellesley, *Lord*, 1797, *o*
Wellington, *Duke of*, 1814, Wellesley
Wemyss, *Lord*, 1821, (* Wemyss, *E.*)
Western, *Lord*, 1833
Westmeath, *Marq. of*, Nugent, *b*.
Westminster, *Marq. of*, 1831, Grosvenor
Westmoreland, *Earl of*, 1624, Fane [kenzie
Wharncliffe, *Lord*, 1826, Wortley-Mac-
Wicklow, *Earl of*, 1793, Howard, *b*
Willoughby d' Eresby, *Lord*, 1313,
Willoughby de Broke, *Lord*, 1492 Verney
Wilton, *Earl of*, 1801, Grosvenor-Egerton
Winchester, *Bishop of*, 1827, C. R. Sumner
Winchester, *Marq. of*, 1551, Paulet
Winchelsea, *Earl of*, 1628, Hatton
Wodehouse, *Lord*, 1797
Worcester, *Bp. of*, 1831, R. J. Carr
Worlingham, *Lord* 1835, Acheson, (*o. Gos-
Wynford, *Lord*, 1829, Best ford, *E.*)
Yarborough, *Lord*, 1794, Pelham
ok Yr, *Abp. of*, 1807, Edw. Harcourt

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Canning, *Viscountess*, 1828
Grey de Ruthyn, *Baroness of*, 1264, Yelverton (Marchioness of Hastings)
Howe, *Baroness*, 1788 Walker
Keith, *Baroness*, 1803. Elphinstone
Le Despencer, *Baroness*, 1264, Stapleton
Mansfield, *Countess*, 1778, Greville
Rayleigh, *Baroness*, 1821. Strutt
Strath Eden, *Baroness*, 1836, Campbell
Wenman, *Baroness*, 1834, Wykham
Zouche, *Baroness*, 1308, Bisshopp

*** *To obviate the difficulty of finding the names of those Scotch and Irish Peers who sit in Parliament under English Titles, but who are not commonly addressed by them, we subjoin the following List.*

Aberdeen, E. (see Gordon)
Aboyne, E. (see Meldrum)
Argyll, D. (see Sundridge and Hamilton)
Atholl, D. (see Strange)
Balcarras, E. (see Lindsay)
Belhaven, L. (see Hamilton)
Besborough, E. (see Ponsonby)
Brecknock, E. (see Camden)
Buccleugh, D. (see Doncaster)
Clanricarde, M. (see Somerhill)
Clare, E. (see Fitzgibbon)
Clifden, V. (see Mendip)
Conyngham, M. (see Minster)
Cork, E. (see Boyle)
Courtown, E. (see Saltersford)
Darnley, E. (see Clifton)
Donegal, M. (see Fisherwick)
Donoughmore, E. (see Hutchinson)
Downshire, M. (see Hillsborough)
Drogheda, M. (see Moore)
Eglinton, E. (see Ardrossan)
Egmont, E. (see Lovel)
Ely, M. (see Loftus)
Errol, E. (see Kilmarnock)
Falkland, V. (see Hunsdon)
Ferrard, V. (see Oriel)
Galloway, E. (see Stewart of Garlies)
Glasgow, E. (see Ross)
Gordon, D. (see Norwich)
Gosford, E. (see Worlingham)
Haddington, E. (see Melrose)
Hamilton, D. (see Brandon)
Headfort, M. (see Kenlis)
Kinnoul, E. (see Hay)
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Rippon, C.	*Gateshead*
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Roche, D.	*Limerick*
Roebuck, J. A.	*Bath*
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Seymour, Lord,	*Totness*
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Shaw, T.	*Dublin Univ.*
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Sinclair, G.	*Caithness-shire*
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Somerset, Lord R. E.	*Cirencester*
Speirs, A.	*Richmond*
Spry, Sir S. T.	*Bodmin*
Stanley, E. J.	*Cheshire N.*
Stanley, Hon. H. T.	*Preston*
Stanley, Lord	*Lancashire, N.*
Stanley, E.	*Cumberland, W.*
Stewart, J.	*Lymington*
Stewart, P. M.	*Lancaster*
Stewart, Sir M. S.	*Renfrewshire*
Steuart, R.	*Haddington*
Stormont, Viscount	*Norwich*
Strickland, Sir G.	*Yorkshire, W. R.*
Strutt, E.	*Derby*
Stuart, Lord D. C.	*Arundel*
Stuart, Lord J.	*Ayr Burghs*
Stuart, W. V.	*Waterford C.*
Sturt, H. C.	*Dorsetshire*
Surrey, Earl of	*Sussex W.*
Talbot, J. H.	*Ross*
Talbot, C. R. M.	*Glamorganshire*
Talfourd, T. N.	*Reading*
Talmash, Hon. A. G.	*Grantham*
Tancred, H. W.	*Banbury*
Tapps, G. W.	*Christchurch*
Tennant, J. E.	*Belfast*
Thomson Colonel	*Kinsale*
Thompson, Rt. Hon. T. P.	*Kingston-u-Hull*
Thompson, W.	*Sunderland*
Thompson, P. B.	*Yorkshs. E. R.*
Thomson, Rt. Hon. C.	*Manchester*
Thornely, T.	*Wolverhampton*
Tooke, W.	*Truro*
Townley, R. G.	*Cambridgeshire*
Townsend, Ld. J. N. B.	*Helleston*
Tracy, C. H.	*Tewkesbury*
Trelawney, Sir W. L.	*Cornwall, E.*
Trench, Sir F.	*Scarborough*
Trevor, Hon. G. R.	*Carmarthens.*
Trevor, Hon. A.	*Durham*
Troubridge, Sir E. T.	*Sandwich*
Tulk, C. A.	*Poole*
Turner, W.	*Blackburn*
Twiss, H.	*Bridport*
Tynte C. K. K.	*Somersetshire W.*
Tynte, C. J. K.	*Somersetshire W.*
Tyrrell, Sir J. T.	*Essex, N.*
Vere, Sir C. B.	*Suffolk E.*
Verner W.	*Armagh C.*
Verney, Sir H.	*Buckingham*
Vernon, G. H.	*East Retford*
Vesey, Hon. T.	*Queen's County*
Villiers, C. P.	*Wolverhampton*

Name.	Place.
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Vivian, C. C.	*Bodmin*
Vivian, J. E.	*Truro*
Vivian, J. H.	*Swansea*
Vyvyan, Sir R. R.	*Bristol*
Wakley, T.	*Finsbury*
Walker, C. A.	*Wexford*
Walker, R.	*Bury*
Wall, C. B.	*Guildford*
Wallace, R.	*Greenock*
Walpole, Lord,	*Norfolk E.*
Walter, J.	*Berkshire*
Warburton, H.	*Bridport*
Ward, H. G.	*St. Albans'*
Wason, R.	*Ipswich*
Welby, G. E.	*Grantham*
Wemyss, J.	*Fifeshire*
West, J. B.	*Dublin*
Westenra, Hon. Col.	*King's County*
Westenra, Hon. H. R.	*Monaghan*
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Whitmore, T. C.	*Bridgnorth*
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Wilbraham, Hon. R.	*Lancashire S.*
Wilde. T.	*Newark-upon-Trent*
Wilkins, W.	*Radnorshire*
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Williams, R. junior	*Dorchester*
Williamson, Sir H.	*Durham, N.*
Wilmot, Sir J. E.	*Warwick, N.*
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Winnington, H, J.	*Worcester W.*
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Wood, C.	*Halifax*
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—	Universities..	4	
—	Cities and Boroughs..	324	
Welsh	County Members..	15	29
—	Cities and Boroughs..	14	
Scotch	County Members..	30	53
—	Cities and Boroughs..	23	
Irish	County Members..	64	105
—	University..	2	
—	Cities and Boroughs..	39	
	Total..		658

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	M. de Cons. de l'A. [Plen	Hon. W. T. H. Fox-Strangways, Sec. to Emb.
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THE REVENUE.

AN ABSTRACT of the NET PRODUCE of the REVENUE of GREAT BRITAIN, in the Years ended 5th of July, 1835, and 5th of July, 1836, showing the Increase or Decrease on each Head thereof.

	Years ended July 5, 1835.	Years ended July 5, 1836.	Years ended July 5, 1836. Increase.	Years ended July 5, 1836. Decrease.
	£	£	£	£
Customs	18,004,725	19,167,127	1,162,402	.....
Excise	11,598,607	12,433,519	834,912	.....
Stamps	6,493,028	6,722,902	229,874	.....
Taxes	3,887,591	3,690,980	.....	169,611
Post Office	1,390,000	1,459,000	69,000	.....
Miscellaneous	61,936	62,806	870	.....
Total Ordinary Revenue	41,433,887	43,536,334		
Imprest and other Monies, including Repayments of Advances for Public Works	477,131	422,140	.....	54,991
Total Income	41,913,018	43,958,474	2,297,058	251,602
The Amount applied to the Consolidated Fund	27,922,897	28,387,296	251,602	Deduct Decrease
Ditto, to pay off Exchequer Bills charged on Sugar Duty	1,774,512	3,000,000		
Ditto, as part of the Ways and Means of the Year	12,215,609	12,571,178		
Total	41,913,019	43,958,474	2,045,456	Increase on the Year

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STATIONS OF THE BRITISH ARMY ON THE 1ST OF SEPTEMBER 1836.

Regiments or Corps.	Stations of Troops or Service Companies.	Stations of Reserve Companies.	Year of going on Foreign Service	Year of returning from For. Ser.	Places from Whence Returned.	Agents. British and Irish Establishments.
1st Life-gds.....	Knightsbridge	....	....	1816	France	Collyer
2nd do.....	Windsor	....	....	1816	Ditto	Cox & Co.
Rl. Horse-gds. ..	Regent's Park	....	....	1816	Ditto	Cox & Co.
1st Drag.-gds...	Manchester...	....	....	1816	Ditto	Cox & Co.
2nd do.....	Longford....	....	....	1819	Ditto	Cox & Co.
3rd do.....	Ballincollig .	....	....	1814	Spain	Collyer
4th do.....	Dorchester ..	....	....	1813	Portugal	Cane & Col.
5th do.....	Leeds	....	....	1814	Spain	Cox & Co.
6th do.....	Nottingham..	....	....	1808	Buen. Ayres	Collyer
7th do.....	Birmingham .	....	....	1799	Holland	Cane & Col.
1st Dragoons....	Dublin.... .	....	....	1816	France	Hopkinson
2nd do.....	Dundalk	....	....	1816	France	Cox & Co.
3rd do.....	Cahir	....	....	1818	France	Hopkinson
4th do.....	Bombay	Maidstone	1822			Hopkinson
6th do.....	Brighton	.... ..	....	1816	France	Cox & Co.
7th Hussars	Hounslow ..	.. . ..	....	1818	France	Cox & Co.
8th do.....	Dublin.....	....	....	1823	Bengal	Hopkinson
9th do, ...	Piershill	....	...	1813	Portugal	Ar. & Co.
10th Hussars....	York	....	....	1828	Portugal	Cox & Co.
11th Lt. Drags...	Bengal.....	Maidstone ..	1819			Collyer
12th Lancers	Coventry... .	....	....	1828	Portugal	Cox & Co.
13th Lt. Drags..	Madras	Maidstone ..	1819			Cox & Co.
14th do.....	Glasgow	....	....	1814	Spain	Ar. & Co.
15th Hussars	Newbridge ..	....	....	1816	France	Ar. & Co.
16th Lancers	Bengal	Maidstone ..	1822			Cox & Co.
17th do.....	Ipswich	... .	....	1823	Bombay	Hopkinson
Rl. Wag. Train..	Hythe .. .	....	Detach various periods			
Gr.Gds. 1st bat...	Knightsbridge	....	...	1828	Portugal	Cox & Co.
2d bat...	Wellingt. Bks	....	....	1818	France	
3d bat....	Portman Str.	....	....	1818	France	
Coldst. Gds. 1st bat..	Dublin.....	....	....	1814	France	
2d bat..	Tower.....	....	....	1818	France	
Sc. Fu. Gds. 1st bat..	St.Geo's.Bks.	....	....	1814	France	
2d bat..	Windsor	....	....	1828	Portugal	
1st Foot, 1st bat..	Limerick....	....	1826			
** 2d bat..	Canada	Boyle	1836	1831	Madras	
nd do....	Bombay.. ..	Chatham....	1825			Ashley & Son
3rd do..	Bengal.....	Ditto ...	1828			Cox & Co.
4th do..... ..	Bombay	Ditto ...	1832			Cox & Co.
5th do ‡.....	Malta	Dover	1831			Cox & Co.
6th do.....	Bombay	Chatham....	1821			Cox & Co.
7th do.....	Windsor	....	1836		Malta	Cox & Co.
8th do.....	Jamaica .. .	Castlebar.. .	1830			Cox & Co.
9th do.....	Bengal	Cork	1832			Cox & Co.
10th do.....	Corfu	Brecon.....	1826			Cox & Co.
11th do. *.....	Zante	Waterford....	1826			Hopkinson

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Regiments and Corps.	Stations of Troops or Service Companies.	Stations of Reserve Companies.	Year of going on Foreign Service	Year of returning from For. Ser	Places from Whence Returned.	Agents. British and Irish Establishments.
12th Foot	Dublin		....	1834	Gibraltar	Cox & Co.
13th do.	Bengal.....	Chatham....	1822			Cox & Co.
14th do. . ..	West Indies..	Wexford....	1830			Ar. & Co.
15th do.	Toronto, U.C.	Galway	1827			Cox & Co.
16th do.	Bengal.....	Chatham....	1819			Kirkland
17th do.	N. S. Wales	Chatham ...	1830			Cox & Co,
18th do.	Athlone	....	....	1832	Corfu	Cox & Co.
19th do.	Trinidad	Buttevant ..	1826			Cox & Co.
20th do. ** ..	Bombay	Chatham....	1819			Cox & Co.
21st do.	V. D. Land..	Chatham ...	1833			Cox & Co,
22d do.	Galway	....	....	1836	Jamaica	Gr. & Co,
23d do.	Manchester	....	....	1834	Gibraltar	Cox & Co.
24th do. .. *.	Montreal....	Spike Island	1829			Collyer
25th do.	Templemore	....	....	1836	Demerara	Cox & Co,
26th do.	Bengal	Chatham....	1828			Lawrie
27th do.	Cape of G.H.	Chatham,...	1835			Ar. & Co,
28th do.	N. S. Wales	Chatham,...	1830			Watson
29th do.	Mauritius	Plymouth....	1820			Cane & Co.
30th do	Bermuda ..	Hull.....	1830			Ar. & Co.
31st do.	Bengal.....	Chatham....	1825			Greenwood
32d do. ‡ ..	Quebec	Plymouth....	1830			Hop. & Co.
33d do.	Dublin	....	....	1832	Jamaica	Cox & Co.
34th do.	N. Brunswick	Dublin.....	1829			Cox & Co,
35th do.	Fermoy, Cork	....	....	1839	Barbadoes	Cox & Co.
36th do. ‡ ..	Antigua	Plymouth....	1830			Price
37th do. ‡ ..	Jamaica	Plymouth....	1830			Lawrie
38th do.	Canterbury..	....	1835		Bengal	Cox & Co,
39th do.	Madras.....	Chatham....	1827			Cox & Co.
40th do.	Sydney	Chatham....	1824			Lawrie
41st do.	Bombay	Chatham....	1822			Cox & Co.
42d do.	Corfu	Ft. George ..	1825			Cox & Co.
43d do.	Nova Scotia.	Plymouth....	1835			Ar. & Co.
44th do.	Bengal.....	Chatham....	1822			Cox & Co.
45th do.	Madras.....	Chatham....	1819			Cox & Co.
46th do.	Enniskillen..	....	....	1833	Madras	Cox & Co.
47th do.	Gibraltar ..	Plymouth....	1834			Ar. & Co.
48th do.	Boiton.....	....	....	1835	Madras	Cox & Co.
49th do.	Bengal.....	Chatham....	1822			Cox & Co.
50th do.	N. S. Wales	Chatham....	1833			Cox & Co,
51st do.	Belfast	....	....	1834	Corfu	Kirkland
52d do. . ..	Malta	Carlisle	1836		Halifax N.S.	Cane & Co.
53d do. ‡ ..	Gibraltar ...	Youghal....	1829			Cox & Co.
54th do.	Madras.....	Chatham....	1819			Cox & Co.
55th do.	Madras.....	Chatham....	1821			Cox & Co.
56th do.	Jamaica	Liverpool ..	1831			Ar. & Co.
57th do.	Madras	Chatham....	1825			Cox & Co.
58th do.	Ceylon.....	Plymouth....	1828			Cox & Co.
59th do.	Malta	Plymouth....	1834			Ar. & Co.

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Regiments and Corps.	Stations of Troops or Service Companies.	Stations of Reserve Companies.	Year of going on Foreign Service.	Year of returning from Foreign Service.	Whence Returned.	Agents. British and Irish Establishments.
60th do. 1st bat..	Malta	Sunderland..	1830			Ar. & Co.
2d bat..	Gibraltar....	Jersey.....	1836			Cox & Co.
61st do.	Ceylon.....	Buttevant...	1828			Cox & Co.
62d do.	Madras.....	Chatham....	1830			Cox & Co.
63d do.	Madras	Chatham....	1829			Collyer
64th do. † ..	Jamaica	Stirling.....	1834			Ar. & Co.
65th do.	Barbadoes ..	Chatham....	1829			Cox & Co.
66th do.	KingstonU.C.	Kinsale	1827			Atkinson
67th do.	Grenada	Sheerness...	1831			Ar. & Co.
68th do.	Gibraltar....	Portsmouth..	1834			Hopk. & Co.
69th do. ‡ ..	St. Vincent ..	Sheerness....	1831			Kirkland
70th do. ‡ ..	Gibraltar....	Portsmouth..	1834			Cane & Co.
71st do.	Dublin.....	....	....	1834	Bermuda	Price
72d do.	Cape of G. H.	Naas	1828			Cox & Co.
73d do.	Corfu	Mullingar ..	1827			Lawrie
74th do.	Barbadoes ..	Perth	1834			Ar. & Co.
75th do. * ..	Cape of G. H.	Wexford,...	1830			Cox & Co.
76th do.	St. Lucia....	Paisley	1834			Ar. & Co.
77th do.	Newry.....	....	....	1834	Jamaica	Cox & Co.
78th do. ** ..	Ceylon.....	Armagh	1826			Hill
79th do.	Quebec	Aberdeen ..	1825			Lawrie
80th do.	Chatham	....	....	1831	Cephalonia	Rich,Ca.&Co
81st do.	Gibraltar....	Clare Castle	1836			Ar. & Co.
82d do. .. .	Kilkenny ..	....	....	1832	Mauritius	Lawrie
83d do.	Halifax, N.S.	Stockport ..	1834			Cox & Co.
84th do. * ..	Jamaica	Limerick....	1827			Cox & Co.
85th do.	Halifax	Clonmel	1836			Ar. & Co.
86th do. * ..	Demerara ..	Fermoy	1826			Cox & Co.
87th do.	Mauritius	Nenagh	1831			Cox & Co.
88th do. * ..	Corfu.....	Buttevant ..	1825			Cox & Co.
89th do.	Trinidad	Omagh	1836			Ar. & Co.
90th do.	Ceylon.....	Tralee.....	1836			Ar. & Co.
91st do.	St. Helena ..	Drogheda ..	1836			Rich,Ca.&Co
92d do.	Malta	Derry	1834			Cox & Co.
93d do.	Dublin.....	....	....	1834	Barbadoes	Cox & Co.
94th do.	Templemore	....	....	1834	Malta	Kirkland
95th do.	Birr.....	....	....	1835	Cephalonia	Lawrie
96th do.	Glasgow	....	...	1836	N. Scotia	Cox & Co.
97th do.	Portsmouth..	....	....	1836	Ceylon	Cox & Co.
98th do. ** ..	Cape of G. H.	Plymouth ..	1825	1825		Cox & Co.
99th do.	Mauritius ...	Athlone	1825	1825		Cox & Co.
Rifle B. 1st Bat..	Halifax, N.S.	Jersey.....	1825	1825		Cox & Co.
2d Bat..	Corfu	Guernsey ...	1826	1826		Cox & Co.
Royal Staff Corps	Hythe.... ..	....	Detch. various periods.			Cox & Co.

‡Depots ordered to England. | *Depots Ordered to Ireland. | †Depots ordered toScotland
** Ordered home.

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Regiments and Corps.	Stations.		Agents.
1st West India Regiment	Trinidad....	Colonial Corps.	Cox and Co.
2d ditto	NassauN.Pr.		Cox and Co.
Ceylon Rifle Regiment	Ceylon.....		Kirkland
Cape Mounted Riflemen	Cape of G.H.		Kirkland
Royal African Colonial Corps ..	Sierra Leone		Kirkland
Rl. Newfoundland Veteran Companies....	Newfoundld.		Kirkland
Royal Malta Fencibles	Malta		Kirkland

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Collyer, Geo. Sam. Park Place, St. James.
Cox and Co. Craig's Court.
Cox & Son—44, Hatton Garden.
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Lawrie, John, Robert Mcgregor Robert St. Adelphi.
Price, Wm. F. 34, Craven St. Strand
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Lieut.-Colonel Arbuthnot and John Kirkland, Esq. Office, 80, Pall Mall.

N.B.—A reference to the List of Agents will explain the abbreviations.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ROYAL NAVY IN COMMISSION.

(*June* 1, 1836.)

PORTSMOUTH STATION.

ADMIRAL P. C. H. DURHAM, G. C. B.

SHIPS.	*Guns.*	*Commanders.*
Bellerophon	80	Captain S. Jackson, C. B.
Britannia (Flag Ship)	120	Captain J. D. W. Dundas
Excellent	76	Captain T. Hastings
Pembroke	74	Captain Sir T. Fellowes, K. C. B.
Vanguard	80	Captain the Hon. D. P. Bouverie
Sail 5—*Guns*	430	

PLYMOUTH STATION.

ADMIRAL LORD A. BEAUCLERK, G.C.B., G.C.H.

Cornwallis	74	Captain R. W. G. Festing
Delight	10	Lieut. J. Moore
Leveret	10	Lieut. C. Bosanquet
Minden	74	Captain A. R. Sharpe
Royal Adelaide (Flag Ship)..	104	Captain J. Sykes
Royalist.....	10	Lieut. C. A. Barlow
Talavera.....	74	Captain T. B. Sullivan
Sail 7—*Guns*....	356	

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SOUTH AMERICAN STATION.

REAR-ADMIRAL SIR G. E. HAMOND, BART., K. C. B.

SHIPS.	*Guns*	*Commanders.*
Actæon	26	Captain Lord E. Russell
Basilisk	6	Lieutenant A. McDonald
Beagle	10	Commander R. Fitzroy
Blonde	46	Captain F. Mason,
Cleopatra	26	Captain Hon. G. Grey
Cockatrice	6	Lieutenant W. L. Rees
Dublin (Flag Ship)	50	Captain G. W. Willis
Harrier	18	Commander W. H. H. Carew
Hornet	6	Lieutenant F. R. Coghlan
North Star	28	Captain O. V. Harcourt
Rapid	10	Lieutenant F. Patten
Rover	18	Commander Eden
Sparrowhawk	16	Commander C. Pearson
Talbot	28	Captain F. W. Pennell
Sail 14—*Guns*	294	

WEST INDIA AND NORTH AMERICAN STATION.

VICE-ADMIRAL SIR P. HALKETT, G. C. B.

Belvidera	32	Captain C. B. Strong
Champion	18	Commander R. Fair
Comus	18	Commander W. P. Hamilton
Cruizer	16	Commander W. A. Willis
Dee (Steamer)	4	Commander W. Ramsay
Flamer (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant J. M. Potbury
Forte	44	Captain W. O. Pell
Gannet	16	Commander J. B. Maxwell
Harpy	10	Lieutenant Hon. G. R. A. Clements
Larne	18	Commander W. S. Smith
Melville (Flag Ship)	74	Captain P. J. Douglas
Meteor (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant S. W. Smith
Nimrod	20	Commander J. Fraser
Pickle	5	Lieutenant A. G. Balman
President	52	Captain J. Scott
Racehorse	18	Commander Sir J. E. Home Bart.
Racer	16	Commander J. Hope
Rainbow	28	Captain T. Bennett
Skipjack	5	Lieutenant S. H. Usher
Snake	16	Commander R. L. Warren
Vestal	26	Captain W. Jones
Wasp	16	Commander J. S. Foreman
Sail 22—*Guns*	452	

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EAST INDIA STATION.

REAR ADMIRAL THE HON. SIR T. B. CAPEL, K. C. B.

	Guns	Commanders.
Algerine	10	Lieutenant W. S. Thomas
Andromache	28	Captain H. D. Chads, C. B.
Hyacinth	18	Commander F. P. Blackwood
Jupiter	38	Captain Hon. F. W. Grey
Raleigh	16	Commander M. Quin
Rattlesnake	28	Captain W. Hobson
Rose	18	Commander W. Barrow
Victor	16	Commander R. Crozier
Winchester (Flag Ship)	52	Captain E. Sparshott K. H.
Wolf	18	Commander E. Stanley
Zebra	16	Commander R. C. McCrea
Sail 11—*Guns*....	258	

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE AND AFRICA STATION.

REAR-ADMIRAL P. CAMPBELL, C. B.

Britomart	10	Lieutenant W. H. Quin
Buzzard	10	Lieutenant Campbell
Charybdis	3	Lieutenant S. Mercer
Curlew	10	Lieutenant E. Norcott
Fair Rosamond	—	Lieutenant G. Rose
Forester	3	Lieutenant G. G. Miall
Griffin	3	Lieutenant J. E. Parlby
Lynx	3	Lieutenant H. V. Huntley
Pelican	16	Commander B. Popham
Pylades	18	Commander W. L. Castle
Rolla	10	Lieutenant F. H. H. Glasse
Scout	15	Commander R. Craigie
Thalia	46	Captain R. Wauchope
Water Witch	10	Lieutenant J. Adams
Sail 14—*Guns*....	157	

MEDITERRANEAN STATION.

VICE-ADMIRAL SIR J. ROWLEY, BT., K. C. B.

African (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant J. West
Barham	50	Captain A. L. Corry
Caledonia (Flag Ship)	120	Captain G. B. Martin, C. B.
Canopus	84	Captain Hon. J. Percy, C. B.
Ceylon	2	Lieutenant J. McKenzie
Childers	16	Commander Hon. H. Keppel
Clio	16	Commander W. Richardson
Columbine	18	Commander T. Henderson
Edinburgh	74	Captain J. R. Dacres
Favorite	18	Commander G. R. Mundy
Jaseur	16	Commander J. Hackett
Medea (Steamer)	—	Commander H. T. Austin
Orestes	18	Commander J. J. F. Newell
Portland	52	Captain D. Price
Revenge	78	Captain W. Elliott, C. B. K. C. H.

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MEDITERRANEAN STATION, *&c.—Continued.*

Rodney	92	Captain Hyde Parker
Sapphire	28	Captain R. F. Rowley
Thunderer	84	Captain W. F. Wise, C. B.
Tribune	24	Captain J. Tomkinson
Tyne	20	Captain Viscount Ingestrie, C. B.
Vernon	50	Captain J. McKerlie
Volage	28	Captain P. Richards
Sail 22—Guns	888	

LISBON STATION.

REAR ADMIRAL SIR W. H. GAGE, G. C. H.

Cameleon	10	Lieutenant J. Bradley
Endymion	50	Captain Sir S. Roberts, Kt. C. B.
Hastings (Flag Ship)	74	Captain H. Shiffner
Lightning (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant J. Shambler
Magicienne	24	Captain G. W. St. John Mildmay
Malabar	74	Captain Sir W. A. Montague C. B., K.C.B.
Ringdove	16	Commander W. Lapidge
Russell	74	Captain Sir W. H. Dillon, K.G.B.
Saracen	10	Lieutenant T. P. Le Hardy
Savage	10	Lieutenant R. Loney
Seaflower	4	Lieutenant J. Roche
Tweed	20	Captain T. Maitland
Viper	6	Lieutenant L. A. Robinson
Sail 13—Guns	372	

IN THE THAMES.

VICE ADMIRAL HON. C. E. FLEMING.

Asia	84	Captain W. Fisher
Bonetta	10	Lieutenant P. Bisson
Confiance (Steamer)	2	Lieutenant J. M. Waugh
Hercules	74	Captain M. F. F. Berkeley
Hermes (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant W. S. Blount
Howe (Flag Ship)	120	Captain A Ellice
Speedy	8	Lieutenant J. Douglas
Spider	6	Lieutenant J. O'Reilly
Sail 8—Guns	304	

FALMOUTH.

Astræa	6	Captain J. Clavell
Espoir	10	Lieutenant C. W. Riley
Scorpion	10	Lieutenant N. Robbilliard
Spitfire (Steamer)	6	Lieutenant A. Kennedy
Tartarus (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant H. James
Sail 5—Guns	32	

PARTICULAR SERVICE.

Carron (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant W. Dow
Castor	36	Captain Rt. Hon. Lord J. Hay
Cove	—	Captain J. C. Ross
Nautilus	10	Lieutenant W. Crooke
Pantaloon	10	Lieutenant W. Corry
Pearl	20	Commander H. Nurse
Phœnix (Steamer)	—	Commander W. H. Henderson
Salamander (Steamer)	—	Lieutenant J. Duffel
Wanderer	16	Commander T. Dilke
Sail 9—Guns	92	

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SURVEYING VESSELS.

Ships.	*Guns*	*Commanders*
Ætna	6	Captain A. T. E. Vidal
Beacon	8	Lieutenant S. Hope
Fairy	10	Commander W. Hewett
Lark	4	Lieutenant E. Barnett
Raven	4	Lieutenant G. A. Bedford
Starling	—	Lieutenant H. Kellett
Sulphur	—	Captain T. W. Beechey
Thunder	—	Commander R. Owen
Sail 8—Guns	32	

BRITISH ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

The following are the British Orders of Knighthood, arranged according to the dates of their Institution.

K. G. The Most Noble Order of the Garter, instituted January 19, 1344.

G. C. B. Knight Grand Cross; K. C. B. Knight Commander; and C. B. Companion, of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath. Extended in 1815.

K. T. Knight of the Most Ancient Order of the Thistle. Revived in 1703.

K. P. Knight of the Most Illustrious Order of St. Patrick, instituted in 1782.

G. C. H. Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order; instituted in 1815.—K. C. H. Knight Commander of ditto.—K. H. Knight of ditto.

K. M. G. Knight of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George; instituted in 1818.

PRINCIPAL FOREIGN ORDERS.

The abbreviations adopted are prefixed to those Orders which are held by British Subjects.

K. A. Knight of St. Andrew in Russia. Instituted in 1698.

K. A. N. Knight of St. Alexander Newski of Russia. Instituted in 1725.

K. B. E. Knight of the Order of the Black Eagle of Prussia. Instituted in 1701.

K. C. Knight of the Crescent in Turkey. Instituted in 1799.

K. C. S. or K. Ch. III. Knight of the Order of Charles III, of Spain. Instituted in 1771.

K. F. M. Knight of the Order of Ferdinand and Merit. Instituted in 1800.

K. G. F. Knight of the Golden Fleece of Spain and Austria. Instituted in 1259.

K. G. V. Knight of Gustavus Vasa of Sweden. Instituted in 1772.

K. I. C. Knight of the Iron Crown of Italy. Instituted in 1805.

K. L. H. Knight of the Legion of Honour of France. Instituted in 1805.

K. L. S. Knight of the Lion and Sun of Persia. Instituted in 1808.

K. L. M. Knight of St Maurice and Lazare of Sardinia. Instituted in 1424.

K. M. T. Knight of Maria Theresa in Austria. Instituted in 1717.

K. R. E. Knight of the Red Eagle of Prussia. Instituted in 1734.

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GOVERNMENTS OF INDIA.

FORT WILLIAM.—BENGAL.

Governor General—The Right Hon. Lord Auckland.
His Excy. Lt. Genl. Sir H. Fane, Extra.
Members of Council—The Hon. Col. Morrison, C. B.
The Hon. Henry Shakespear, Esq.
The Hon. T. C. Robertson, Esq.
The Hon. T. B. Macaulay, Esq.
Secs. to Government—H. T. Prinsep, Esq.—*General, Foreign, & Financial.*
W. H. MacNaghten, Esq.—*Secret and Political.*
Col. W. Casement, C. B.—*Military Department.*

AGRA.

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Sec. to Government—C. Macsween, Esq.

FORT ST. GEORGE—MADRAS.

Governor—The Right Hon. Lord Elphinstone.
Members of Council—Lieut. Genl. Sir Peregrine Maitland.
The Hon. William Oliver, Esq.
The Hon. C. M. Lushington, Esq.
Chief Secretary to Government—Henry Chamier, Esq.

BOMBAY.

Governor—The Right Hon. Sir Robert Grant.
Members of Council—Lieut.-General Sir John Keane, K. C. B.
The Hon. James Sutherland, Esq.
The Hon. E. Ironside, Esq.
Chief Secretary to Government—C. Norris, Esq.

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Resident Councillor at Malacca—The Hon. Samuel Garling, Esq.
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NATIVE STATES NOT UNDER BRITISH PROTECTION.

	Sq Miles.
Nepal	36,000
Lahore (subject to Runjeet Sing)	160,000
Chiefs of Sinde at the Mouth of the Indus	40,000
Scindia	42,400
Rajah of Dholpoor, Baree, and Rajahkairah	800

NATIVE STATES WITH WHICH SUBSIDIARY TREATIES EXIST.

King of Oude			25,300
The Bhooslah or Rajah of Nagpoor			64,270
The Nizam whose Capital is Hydrabad			108,800
Holcar	Indore		17,000
Mysore	Mysore		29,750
Travancore	Trivandrum		9,400
Cochin	Cochin		
The Guicowar	Baroda		30,000
Cutch	Bhooj		6,100

NATIVE STATES UNDER BRITISH PROTECTION BUT WITHOUT SUBSIDIARY TREATIES.

Bhopal, 7360 Square Miles.
Sikim, 4400
The Sikh and Hill States on the left bank of the Sutluj.
The Jaut and other States on the right bank of the Jumna.
The Boondela States, 19,000 Square Miles.
Rewah.
States of Rajpootana.
States of Malwah.
States of Gujerat.
States on the Malabar Coast.
States on the Burmese Frontier.

FOREIGN INDEPENDENT STATES.

China.... 1,372,450 Square Miles.
Cochin China 100,000
Siam..... 90,000
Ava..... 200,000
Caubul..... 60,000
Persia..... 160,000
Muscat.

AREA AND POPULATION OF THE PRESIDENCIES.

Presidy.	*Area.*	*Population.*
BENGAL..... *Sq. Miles.*	247,112	60,000,000
AGRA.....	82,900	20,000,000
MADRAS.....	141,948	13,508,535
BOMBAY.....	64,938	6,251,546

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CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE *of the* ACQUISITIONS *of the* BRITISH *in* INDIA.

	Date of Treaty.	*Districts.*	*Sq. Miles.*	*From whom acquired.*
Territory acquired by Lord Clive.	1757 Dec. 20th..	Twenty-four Pergunnahs, &c.	4,882	Nabob of Bengal.
	1759 May 14th..	Masulipatam, &c.	5,000	The Nizam.
	1760 Sept. 27th..	Burdwan, Midnapoor, and Chittagong	13,240	Nabob of Bengal.
	1765 Aug. 12th..	Bengal, Bahar, &c.	116,850	The Mogul.
	1765 Aug. 30th..	Company's Jaghire in the vicinity of Madras ..	3,000	Nabob of Arcot.
	1766 Nov. 12th..	Northern Circars	27,750	The Nizam.
	1775 May 21st..	Zemindary of Benares	12,000	Vizier of Oude.
	1776 May 22d ..	Island of Salsett	..	Mahrattas.
	1778 June 17th..	Nagore	..	Rajah of Tanjore.
	1778 Sept. 18th..	Guntoor Circar	4,900	The Nizam.
	1786 ..	Pulo Pinang &c.	600	King of Quedah.
	1792 Mar. 17th ..	Malabar, Dindigul, Salem, Baramahl, &c.	24,000	Tippoo Sultaun of Mysore.
	1799 July 13th..	Coimbatoor, Canara, Wynaad, &c.	20,000	Conquered from Tippoo Sultaun and ceded to the British by the partition Treaty of Mysore.
Territory acquired by the Marquis Wellesley.	1799 Oct. 25th..	Tanjore	4,000	Rajah of Tanjore.
	1800 Oct. 12th..	Districts acquired by the Nizam from Tippoo Sultaun in 1792 and 1799	25,950	The Nizam.
	1801 July 31st..	Carnatic	17,250	Nabob of the Carnatic.
	1801 Nov. 10th..	Gorukpoor, Lower Dooab, Bareilly &c.	32,000	The Vizier of Oude.
	1802 Dec. 31st..	Districts in Bundelcund	4,685	Peishwar.
	1803 Dec. 17th..	Kuttack and Balasore	10,000	Rajah of Berar.
	1803 Dec. 30th..	Upper part of the Dooab, Delhi Territory &c. ..	22,000	Dowlat Rao Scindia.
	1805 Apr. 21st..	Districts in Gujerat	6,000	Guicowar.
	1815 Dec. 2nd..	Kumaon and part of the Terriae	10,000	Nepal.
	1817 June 13th..	Sangur and Huttah, Darwar &c.	10,000	Peishwar.
	1817 Nov. 6th .	Ahmedabad Farm..	4,600	Guicowar.
	1818 Jan. 6th..	Kandeish &c.	12,430	Holcar.
	1818	Amjere	City	Dowlat Rao Scindia.
	1818	Poonah Konkun Southern Mahratta Country	20,000	Conquered from the Peishwar.

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CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE, &c.—*continued.*

Date of Treaty.	*Districts.*	*Sq. Miles.*	*From whom acquired.*
1820 Dec. 17th	Lands in Southern Konkun	6,700	Rajah of Sawuntwarree.
1822 Dec. 12th	Districts in Beejapoor and Ahmednuggur	5,000	The Nizam.
1824 Aug. 2d	Singapoor	337	Rajah of Johore.
1825 Apr. 9thh	Malacca	800	Dutch.
1826 Feb. 24th	Assam, Arracan, Tavoy. Ye, Tenasserim, &c.	77,000	King of Ava.
1818	Districts on the Nerbudda, Sumbhulpoor, Patna &c.	85,700	Rajah of Berar.

THE undermentioned NATIVE STATES have been ESTABLISHED by the BRITISH GOVERNMENT in a part of the Territory which had been acquired by right of conquest.

1799 July 3d	The Rajah of Mysore a descendant of the Ancient Rajahs of the Country	29,750	In a part of the Territory acquired from Tippoo Sultaun.
1819 Sept. 25th	The Rajah of Sattarah the Ancient head of the Mahrattas	9,000	In a part of the Territory acquired from the late Peishwar.

STATE PENSIONERS and PENSIONS.

The King of Delhi	1,600,000	*S.Rs. per an.*
Nabob of Bengal &c.	2,500,000	.....
Nabob of the Carnatic &c.	2,000,000	.....
Rajah of Tanjore	1,200,000	.....
The Peishwar....	2,100,000	.....
The Princes of the House of Tippoo &c.	600,000	.....
Rajah of Benares and other Chiefs	500,000	.....

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PART IV.

GOVERNMENT ORDINANCES PASSED IN 1836,

SHIPPING ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES IN AND FROM CEYLON,

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES DURING THE YEAR.

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Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 1.

To repeal Regulation No. 16 of 1824.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal the Regulation No. 16 of the year 1824—IT IS THEREFORE ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that

Regulation No. 16 of 1824 repealed. the Regulation No. 16 of the year 1824, entitled "For the more effectual prevention of the smuggling of Tobacco out of this Island without payment of the export duties by law enacted, and for regulating the transport of Tobacco by land within the Island," be and the same is hereby repealed.

Given at Colombo this Eighth day of November, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-Six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P. ANSTRUTHER,
Colonial Secretary.

Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 2.

For establishing the Imperial Weights and Measures as the Standards of length, weight and capacity within these Settlements.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is necessary for the convenience of the public, and particularly for the purpose of preventing insecurity and fraud in trade, that there should be one uniform standard of Weights and Measures established for the whole Island,

Imperial Standard of Weights and Measures established. 1. IT IS THEREFORE ENACTED by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof that from and after the First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Eight within every part of these Settlements the Imperial Standard Yard established by the Statute of the British Legislature of the 5. GEO. 4. c. 74. shall be and is hereby declared to be the only standard measure of extension from which all other measures of extension, whether lineal, superficial or solid, shall be derived and computed, and that the Imperial Standard Troy Pound by the said Statute established shall be and the same is hereby declared to be the only Standard Measure of weights from which all other weights shall be derived and computed, and that the said Imperial Standard Troy Pound shall contain 5760 Grains and 7000 such Grains shall make one Pound Avoirdupois, and that the Imperial Standard Gallon by the said Statute established shall be and is hereby declared to be the only Standard Measure of capacity from which all other Measures of capacity shall be derived and computed,

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and that the parts or multiples, or proportions of the said Standards, shall be respectively computed according to the Schedule to this Ordinance annexed.

Models to be kept at Cutcherries for inspection.

2. AND for the purpose of enabling every person to ascertain with certainty whether any Weights and Measures in use or intended for use do conform to the Standard hereby established for every part of these Settlements, it is further enacted, that the Government Agents of the several Provinces shall preserve with care at each and every Cutcherry of their Province a model of the aforesaid Standards of length, weight and capacity to be furnished by Government for that purpose, and that every person shall be at liberty on giving reasonable notice to inspect the said Standards or any of them and to compare any other weight or measure therewith.

Government Agents to sell Weights and Measures.

3. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that in order to accommodate the public with Standard Weights and Measures, the Government Agents of the several Provinces shall at each and every Cutcherry of the Province provide a sufficient number thereof for sale at rates to be notified by Advertisement in the Government Gazette.

Contracts etc. to be made according to Standard.

4. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that from and after the said First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Eight, all contracts, bargains, sales and dealings which shall be made or had within any part of these Settlements for any work to be done, or for any goods, wares, merchandize or other thing to be sold, delivered, done or agreed for by weight or measure, where no special agreement shall be made to the contrary, shall be deemed, taken and construed to be made and had according to the Standard Weights and Measures hereby established.

Penalty for false Weights or Measures.

5. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any person or persons selling by retail who shall use or attempt to use, or in whose shop, house, stall, standing place or premises shall be found any weight or measure of length or capacity not being in conformity with the Standards hereby established, or any false or unequal balance, shall upon conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings and in default of payment be imprisoned at hard labor for a term not exceed six calendar months.

Former Regulations repealed.

6. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that from and after the said First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Eight the Regulation No. 3 of 1816 entitled "for establishing measures according to a fixed Standard,"—the Regulation No. 7 of 1816 entitled "to explain and amend the Regulation No. 3 of the present year concerning dry Measures,"—the Regulation No. 19 of 1822 entitled "for establishing liquid and lineal Measures and Weights according to a fixed Standard,"—and the Regulation No. 1 of 1823 entitled "for suspending the Provisions of the 19th Regulation of Government of 1822 till the 1st day of April 1823," be and the same are hereby repealed.

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SCHEDULE OF IMPERIAL WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

LINEAL MEASURE.

Inches										
12	=	1	Foot							
36	=	3	=	1	Yard					
198	=	16½	=	5½	=	1	Pole or Perch			
7920	=	660	=	220	=	40	=	=	1	Furlong
63360	=	5280	=	1760	=	320	=	8	=	1 Mile.

SUPERFICIAL MEASURE.

Inches										
144	=	1	Foot							
1296	=	9	=	1	Yard					
39204	=	272¼	=	30¼	=	1	Pole			
1568160	=	10890	=	1210	=	40	=	1	Rood	
6272640	=	43560	=	4840	=	160	=	4	=	1 Acre.

TROY WEIGHT.

Grains										
24	=	1	Penny weight							
480	=	20	=	1	Ounce					
5760	=	240	=	12	=	1	Pound.			

AVOIRDUPOIS WEIGHT.

Drams										
16	=	1	Ounce							
256	=	16	=	1	Pound*					
3584	=	224	=	14	=	1	Stone			
28672	=	1792	=	112	=	8	=	1	Hundred weight	
573440	=	35840	=	2240	=	160	=	20	=	1 Ton.

MEASURES OF CAPACITY.

DRY MEASURE.

Pints										
2	=	1	Quart							
8	=	4	=	1	Gallon					
16	=	8	=	2	=	1	Peck			
64	=	32	=	8	=	4	=	1	Bushel	
512	=	256	=	64	=	32	=	8	=	1 Quarter.

LIQUID MEASURE.

Pints										
2	=	1	Quart							
8	=	4	=	1	Gallon					
504	=	252	=	60	=	1	Hogshead			
1008	=	504	=	126	=	2	=	1	Pipe	
2016	=	1008	=	252	=	4	=	2	=	1 Tun.

* Containing 7000 grains Troy.

Given at Colombo, this Fifteenth day of November, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P. ANSTRUTHER,
Colonial Secretary.

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Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 3.

For consolidating and amending the laws for the protection of His Majesty's Revenue derived from Salt.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the laws now in force within these Settlements for the Protection of His Majesty's Revenue derived from Salt,

Former Regulations and Proclamations repealed. 1. IT IS THEREFORE ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that from and after the First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven the Regulations No. 21 of the year 1813, entitled "To prevent the stealing of Government Salt," No. 2 of the year 1818, entitled "For the more effectual protection of His Majesty's Revenue derived from Salt," and the Proclamation of the 11th of October of the year 1821, shall be and the same are hereby respectively repealed, except as to any offences committed and any arrears of Duties or any penalties or punishments incurred at or prior to the First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven and except as to the repeal of any former laws.

Collection and Manufacture of Salt. 2. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall not be lawful for any person to collect or attempt to collect Salt naturally formed, or to manufacture or attempt to manufacture Salt by any process whatsoever within any part of these Settlements, except on account of Government or under the written license of the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent for the Province in which it shall be collected or manufactured, and that any person who shall be convicted of collecting or manufacturing or attempting to collect or manufacture Salt, as aforesaid, shall be subject to a fine not exceeding Five Pounds for each offence, and Ten Shillings in addition for each Bushel* of Salt so collected or manufactured if the quantity shall exceed one Bushel, and in default of payment to imprisonment, with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court, for any term not exceeding Twelve months, and the Salt so collected or manufactured together with any apparatus used in or for the manufacture thereof shall be confiscated, and the occupier of any Premises upon which Salt shall with his privity or consent be illegally collected or manufactured shall on conviction be subject to a fine not exceeding Ten Pounds for each offence and in default of payment to imprisonment, with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court, for any term not exceeding Five months.

* 1 Parrah 10⅔ Seers

Possession of Salt in Districts enumerated. 3. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall not be lawful for any person (unless duly authorized by license as hereinafter mentioned) to possess Salt in any greater quantity than Two* Pecks in manner hereinafter expressed within the undermentioned Districts, according to the limits of their

* 17⅓ Seers

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respective Judicial Jurisdiction, viz.. Districts of Colombo No. 1. North and No. 1. South, No. 4. otherwise called Caltura, Amblangodde, Galle and Matura; and than Three* Quarts in the Districts of Colombo No. 2. otherwise called Negombo, Putlam and Chilaw, Manar, Jaffna, Walligammo, Waddimoratchie, Tenmoratchie and Patchelapalle, the Islands, the Wanny, Trincomalee. Batticaloa, Hambantotte and Tangalle. *3⅞ Seers

Restriction as to quality. 4. AND WHEREAS there is a very great difference in the appearance and disparity in the weight of the different descriptions of Salt, so that manufactured Salt may be readily distinguished from Salt of natural formation, the Salt obtained by one process of manufacture from that by another, and the Salt of natural formation collected at one Leway from that collected at another, It is further enacted, that the possession of any Salt whatever in the Districts enumerated in the Third clause of this Ordinance unless duly accounted for, of a description different from that issued from the Government Stores for sale within the limits of the Village, District or Province in which such Salt shall be found, shall be unlawful.

Government Agents to grant Licenses for possession. 5. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that within the Districts enumerated in the Third clause of this Ordinance the Government Agents or Assistant Government Agents in their respective Districts may grant licenses for the possession of Salt if purchased of Government as well to such persons as may be authorised by Government to retail Salt within the Districts aforesaid, as to any other persons at their discretion and in any quantity; Provided that in the license granted to such other persons be defined the purposes for which the Salt is required, the quantity allowed to be possessed, from what Government Store it has been or is to be purchased, and for what period (which shall not in any case exceed Twelve months from the date thereof) it is to be in force.

And Retailers. 6. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that within the Districts enumerated in the Third clause of this Ordinance, persons authorised by Government to retail Salt may grant licenses in their respective Districts for the possession of Salt purchased of themselves in quantities not exceeding Three* Pecks, and for a period not exceeding Fourteen Days. *1 Parrah 1¾ Seers

Illegal possession of Salt, Earth, etc. 7. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that every person possessing Salt, whether within the Districts above enumerated or elsewhere, contrary to the Provisions of this enactment, or possessing earth or sand or water impregnated with Salt for the purpose of making Salt, and the occupier of any House or premises in which shall be found any Salt or any earth or sand or water impregnated with Salt which he is unable satisfactorily to account for, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Twenty Shillings for every Bushel* thereof, and proportionably for less than a Bushel, and in default of payment to imprisonment with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court for any term not exceeding Twelve months; and the Salt shall be seized and confiscated as well as all instruments *1 Parrah 10⅝ Seers

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and utensils, or earth, sand or water so impregnated with Salt used for the purpose of manufacturing Salt illegally; and the persons in whose possession any such utensils, instruments or earth, sand or water so impregnated with Salt shall be found shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds, and in default of payment to imprisonment, with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court, for a term not exceeding Five months.

Disposal of Salt on expiration of license.

8. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any Salt purchased from Government which shall remain at the expiration of his license in the possession of any licensed person shall, if tendered to the Government Agent of the Province or his Assistant, and if such Salt is found on examination to be unadulterated, be received into the Government Stores and be paid for at the rate at which it was originally sold by Government, and any Salt so remaining which shall be found adulterated shall be seized and confiscated.

Concealment of Salt.

9. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that every person who shall bury, conceal or assist in or be privy to the burying or concealing in any place or quantity whatever any Salt illegally collected, manufactured or possessed or which shall not be satisfactorily accounted for, shall be liable to the same fine as in the Seventh Clause is imposed for the illegal possession of Salt.

Possession in non-enumerated Districts.

10. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent, District Judge or local Headman in any of the Districts not enumerated in the Third Clause of this Ordinance may call upon any person possessing Salt exceeding Four* Bushels within the non-enumerated Districts to account for the same. And if he shall fail to shew that such Salt was lawfully removed he shall be liable to the penalties attached to the illicit possession of Salt.

* 5 Parrahs 17½ Seers

Persons found in the vicinity of a Salt Pan.

11. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that if any person shall be found in the immediate vicinity of any Salt Pan or Salt Leway at a suspicious hour or under suspicious circumstances it shall be lawful for any person to bring him before the District Court, which shall thereupon investigate the matter of suspicion alleged against him, and if he shall fail to give a satisfactory account of himself, and there shall in the opinion of the Court be reasonable ground to believe that he was in the immediate vicinity of such Salt Pan or Leway with intent to collect or remove Salt there formed, collected or deposited, the Court shall require him to give such security for his good conduct as it shall deem fit, and in default of such Security shall sentence him to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding Six months with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court.

Removal of Salt.

12. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that the removal of Salt in any quantity exceeding

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Three * Quarts in the Districts in which the possession of Three Quarts is hereinbefore allowed, and Two* Pecks in any other District at one time from or to any place * 3 7/32 Seers *17 3/16 Seers within these Settlements, and the export and import thereof by sea, except under the permit of some Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent, or of a licensed retailer to the extent of Three Pecks shall be unlawful, and such permit shall specify the date thereof, the quantity of Salt to be removed, the name of the person removing, the place from and to which, the conveyance by which, and the period within which it is to be removed, which period shall in no case of a permit granted by a Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent exceed Three Calendar months, or of a permit of a licensed retailer exceed fourteen days, from the date of the permit, and any Salt removed contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance shall be confiscated, and the person by whom such Salt is removed in what part soever of these Settlements, shall be liable to the penalties enacted against the illegal possession of Salt.

Shipment. 13. And it is further enacted, that any Salt landed from, or shipped on board any Ship, Dhoney, Boat or Vessel of whatever description, without the license of the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the province wherein such shipment or landing takes place, unless on account of Government, shall be confiscated, and the Commander or principal person on board or belonging to such vessel, shall be subject to a fine at the rate of Three Shillings for every Bushel * of Salt so confiscated, and in default of payment be imprisoned with or without hard labor at the discretion of the Court for any term not exceeding Twelve months; and all and every other person or persons, knowingly assisting in shipping or landing any such Salt, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Ten Pounds and in default of payment to imprisonment, with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court, for any term not exceeding Six months, Provided always that it shall be lawful, by permit of any Collector or Assistant Collector of Customs to ship Salt specified in such permit on board any vessel for the use of the crew, the same having been originally purchased from the Government Salt Store or licensed Salt Retailer according to the general provisions of this Ordinance. * 1 Parrah 10⅔ Seers

Sale. 14. And it is further enacted, that the sale of Salt within the Districts enumerated in the Third Clause of this Ordinance in any quantity whatsoever, except on account or by license of the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the Province within which such Salt is sold, is hereby declared to be unlawful, and any person convicted of selling Salt either by wholesale or retail contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine not exceeding Five Pounds for each offence or in default of payment to imprisonment, with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court for any term not exceeding Twelve months, and the purchaser shall likewise be liable to a fine not exceeding Twenty Shilliugs for each offence or in default of payment to imprisonment, with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court, for any term not exceeding Two months.

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Retailer to affix notice to place of Sale.

15. AND to prevent as far as may be the possibility of persons contravening this enactment through ignorance, IT IS ENACTED, that every licensed retailer shall affix in front of his or her shop, stall or place of retail sale, a board having painted or legibly written thereon the name of the licensed retailer and the words "licensed to sell Salt" in the English, Cingalese and Malabar languages, and any Salt retailer who shall sell Salt without having such board affixed, or in any other place than that in which he is licensed to sell, shall be liable for every such offence to a fine not exceeding the rate of Twenty Shillings for every Bushel* of Salt so sold.

* 1 Parrah 10⅔ Seers

Search or Seizure

16. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that, in all cases requiring any search or seizure to be made without the delay which would be incurred by an application to the District Court, the several Constables or Police Vidhans or other proper Officers may, on information laid before them shewing just ground of suspicion, and shewing further that the object of the search would probably be defeated by the delay of applying to the District Court for a Warrant, make such search or seizure without Warrant; Provided always that such search or seizure so made without Warrant shall be made or commenced between sun-rise and sun-set only, and that they are hereby required to exercise such authority, but, in any instance in which they shall so act, they shall report their proceedings and the result of their search or seizure to the nearest District Court without unnecessary delay, and any Constable or Police Vidhan or other officer failing to make such report shall be liable, at the discretion of the District Court according to the circumstances of each particular case, to a fine not exceeding Five Pounds; And if any Constable, Police Vidhan or other officer shall not have applied to the District Court for a Warrant in due course, there having been sufficient time for such application, or shall have wantonly, maliciously or corruptly exercised any power or authority hereby confided to him, or shall have wilfully exceeded such power or authority, he shall, besides his liability in damages to the party injured, suffer such punishment as the Court shall on conviction award.

Salt to be sold by Standard Measures.

17. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any Storekeeper or other person selling Salt on behalf of Government and every person licensed to sell Salt within the Districts enumerated in the Third Clause of this Ordinance shall be bound to deliver Salt to the purchaser by standard measures established by law and at such price as may be fixed by Government from time to time. And any Storekeeper, retailer or other person selling Salt on behalf of Government who shall be convicted of issuing Salt of short or false measure or of demanding more than the price fixed by Government, shall be subject to a fine not exceeding Ten Pounds for each offence, and in default of payment to imprisonment, with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court, for any term not exceeding Twelve Calendar months.

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Adulterated Salt sold by retailer. 18. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any Storekeeper or person authorized or licensed to sell Salt convicted of selling adulterated Salt shall be liable to fine and imprisonment with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court; and it shall be lawful for any Government Agent, Assistant Government Agent, District Judge or Superintendent of Police to direct by order under their hands any competent person or persons to examine Salt in possession of any licensed Salt retailer, and if any Salt shall be found within his licensed premises adulterated, such retailer shall in like manner be liable to like fine and imprisonment, and in order to ascertain whether the salt in possession of any retailer has been adulterated, it shall be lawful for the District Judge by order under his hand to direct the Storekeeper by whom such Salt was issued to such retailer to attend at the District Court with a sufficient specimen of the Salt so issued.

Or by Government Storekeeper. 19. AND WHEREAS it may happen that through fraud or negligence on the part of any Storekeeper, adulterated, damaged or spoiled Salt may be sold by him on behalf of Government, IT IS ENACTED, that it shall be lawful for the District Judge to direct a fair sample of Salt sold and issued from any Government Store to be examined, and if the same shall be found to contain any mixture of sand or other impurity exceeding in weight Four per cent the same shall be taken to be and shall be declared adulterated.

Informer's share of fines. 20 AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that a portion at the discretion of the Court not exceeding one-half of all fines levied under this Ordinance shall be paid the person or persons who shall first give such information as shall lead to the conviction of the offender, and in case the offender shall have no property from which such portion can be levied the Government Agent of the Province shall on behalf of Government pay to such informer so much thereof as shall not in any one instance exceed the sum of Ten Pounds, provided the Court before which such offender shall have been convicted shall, after hearing cause to the contrary, if any shall be shewn on the day to be fixed by the Court for the purpose, of which day previous notice shall be given to the Government Agent, certify that such informer hath not acted in collusion with such offender, and that it doth not appear that such offender hath property from which such portion can be levied as aforesaid.

Ordinance when to take effect. 21. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that this Ordinance shall commence and come into operation from and after the said First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-Seven.

Given at Colombo, this Twenty-second day of November One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P ANSTRUTHER.
Colonial Secretary.

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Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof

No. 4.

For preventing the stealing and privately killing of Cattle.

Preamble. WHEREAS the Regulations passed for the purpose of preventing the stealing and privately killing Cattle have been found to have very beneficial operation within the Maritime provinces of this Island, which it is expedient to extend to all parts of these settlements, and with that view to repeal the said Regulations and incorporate the provisions thereof in a general Ordinance, with such alterations as have become requisite:

Former Regulations repealed. 1. IT IS THEREFORE ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that the Regulation No. 3. of 1814, entitled "To prevent the stealing and privately killing of Cattle;" and the Regulation No. 4. of 1815, entitled "To extend the term of making returns by butchers under the 3rd Regulation of the year 1814;" and the Regulation No. 1. of 1826, entitled "For amending the 3rd Regulation of 1814 relative to the punishment for knowingly receiving stolen Cattle;" and all other local Rules and Regulations for or concerning the slaughtering of Cattle, be and the same are hereby repealed.

License to slaughter within Gravets &c. 2. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that it shall not be lawful for any person within the Gravets of Colombo, Kandy, Galle, Matura, Trincomale, and Jaffnapatam, or within five Miles from any other Town or Station, at which any District Court now is or hereafter may be established, to slaughter any Oxen or Buffaloes, unless he shall have obtained from the District Judge, or, in case of his absence, from the Secretary of the District Court or other person authorised by the District Judge, a license for that purpose, or a general license to carry on the trade of a butcher, nor shall it be lawful for any licensed butcher, unless by special license for the purpose, to slaughter any Oxen or Buffaloes but at such fit place or places as shall be appointed for that purpose by the District Judge, nor unless he shall have previously exposed the same to public view in some open or convenient spot, to be likewise appointed by the District Judge, for a period not less than twenty-four hours.

Butcher to furnish account of Cattle. 3. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that every licensed butcher shall on the first Monday in every month register in the office of the District Court a true and accurate account (as nearly as possible) of the age, sex, colour, marks, and description of all Oxen or Buffaloes slaughtered by him in the preceding month, and the names and places of abode of the persons from whom the same were purchased or obtained.

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Penalty.

4. And it is further enacted that every person who shall be convicted of slaughtering any Oxen or Buffaloes without such license, and every such licensed butcher who shall be convicted of slaughtering any such Cattle without previously exposing the same in manner hereinbefore provided, or who shall neglect to register such account, shall respectively for every beast so slaughtered without license, or without being exposed or without being registered as aforesaid, be liable to a discretionary fine not exceeding Five Pounds, and in default of payment to imprisonment at hard labour for a term not exceeding six Calendar Months.

Beyond Gravets, Notice to Headman.

5. And it is further enacted that, beyond and out of the gravets or limit aforesaid, it shall not be lawful for any person to slaughter any Oxen or Buffaloes whatever, without giving forty-eight hours' previous notice of his intention to do so to the nearest resident Headman, which notice shall state (as nearly as possible) the age, sex, colour, marks, and description of such Cattle and be signed by the owner and some respectable person of the neighbourhood; and every person who shall slaughter such Cattle without giving such notice, or who shall sign a false notice, shall for each offence be liable to a discretionary fine not exceeding Three Pounds and in default of payment to imprisonment at hard labour for a term not exceeding four Calendar months. Provided always that when Troops shall be on march or, being stationed beyond the Gravets or limit aforesaid, when such previous notice would prevent the immediate supply of rations, it shall be lawful for the proper Officer of the Commissariat or person acting under his authority, in the presence of some neighbouring headman, to slaughter Cattle without giving such previous notice, but in such case the Commissariat Officer or person acting under his authority shall forthwith transmit to the nearest District Judge a Certificate signed by himself and such headman of the necessity of such immediate supply, and containing such true and accurate account as aforesaid of the Oxen or Buffaloes so slaughtered for the use of such Troops, together with a receipt from the person or persons from whom every such Ox or Buffaloe was received.

Penalty.

Troops on March &c.

Notice to be certified by Headman.

6. And it is further enacted that the Headman receiving such notice as aforesaid shall make inquiry into the truth thereof and, if correct, shall certify its correctness on the back thereof, under his signature, which shall be a sufficient warrant for the slaughter of the Cattle therein mentioned; and if any such Headman shall falsely certify or shall neglect or refuse duly to certify such notice he shall on conviction be liable to a discretionary fine not exceeding Five Pounds.

Penalty.

Possession of Stolen Cattle without note of description.

7. And it is further enacted that any person having in his possession stolen Oxen or Buffaloes unless he shall produce a Note in writing, signed by the person from whom such Cattle were received or purchased, containing a description of such

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Cattle and the name and abode of such person and attested by two witnesses, of whom one shall be the Police Vidahn, Constable, or other petty Headman of the District from which the Cattle were removed, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Five Pounds and in default of payment to imprisonment with or without hard labour not exceeding Six Calendar months.

Penalty.

8. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that all Police Vidahns, Constables or other Headmen who shall have attested any Note pursuant to the directions contained in the last preceding clause shall preserve a duplicate thereof and at the commencement of each month shall forward the Duplicates of all such notes attested by them during the preceding month to the District Court for reference and safe custody.

Duplicates of Notes.

9. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that every person in whose possession shall be found any fresh beef, which he shall not be able to prove or give satisfactory reasons for believing that it was honestly come by, shall be liable to punishment in the same manner as is provided in the Seventh Clause notwithstanding that no owner shall appear to prosecute or claim the same as his property.

Possession of fresh beef without proof &c.

Penalty.

10. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that prosecutions under this Ordinance shall be commenced within three months from the commission of the offence and not afterwards.

Limitation of prosecution.

Given at Colombo, this Twenty-second day of December One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P. ANSTRUTHER,
Colonial Secretary.

Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 5.

For consolidating and amending the Law concerning Auctioneers and the Duties on Auctions.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal the Regulation No. 12 of 1825, entitled "For consolidating the Regulations concerning Auctioneers, and the Duties on Auctions; the Regulation No. 3 of 1829, entitled "Declaring the 5th section of Regulation No. 12 of 1825 not to be applicable to the Regimental effects of Officers and Soldiers," and the Proclamations of the thirteenth day of September 1825 and of the twenty fifth day of September 1829, and to embody the same with certain alterations in a new enactment:

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Former Regulations and Proclamations repealed.

1. IT IS THEREFORE ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that from and after the First day of March One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven the said Regulations No. 12 of 1825 and No. 3 of 1829 and the said Proclamations of the thirteenth day of September 1825 and of the twenty fifth day of September 1829 (except in so far as the same respect any dues, liabilities, rights, fines or punishments then already accrued, and the repeal of any previous Regulations) be and the same are hereby repealed.

Auctioneer to have License

2. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that no person shall act as an Auctioneer within any part of these Settlements, or shall vend any goods, wares or merchandize whatsoever by any mode of sale by Auction without a license under the hand and seal of the Governor or Lieutenant Governor, and that any person or persons so acting or vending without license shall forfeit and pay for every offence a sum not exceeding Ten Pounds and in default of payment shall be imprisoned for any term not exceeding Six months.

Penalty.

And give bond and security.

3. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that every such license shall continue in force for Twelve Calendar Months from the date thereof and no longer, and that no such license shall be granted to any person until he shall have given bond to His Majesty and security for the faithful and proper discharge of his duties as Auctioneer and for his duly complying in all respects with the several provisions of this Ordinance, in such amount as shall be required of him by Government, either of two or more responsible Sureties or by deposit of moveable property or hypothecation of immoveable property in that behalf; and such Bond shall be deposited with the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the Province in which such person shall be licensed to act as Auctioneer.

Bond to be put in suit.

4. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that such Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent shall put such bond in suit, on the application, in writing, of any party, accompanied by a Certificate from some District Judge that a judgment has been obtained in his court against such Auctioneer for any sum in a suit to recover the proceeds of property sold by him at Auction, and that the party applying has satisfied such District Judge that such judgment has remained unsatisfied for more than one calendar month:—and a recovery in one or more suit or suits on such bond shall not abate or cancel the same. Provided always, that when several such suits shall have been pending at the same time and judgment thereon and such Certificates shall be ultimately in due course obtained, the parties obtaining the same shall be entitled to share proportionably out of such security. And provided always, that the amount recoverable from the sureties shall not exceed, in the whole, the amount specified in such bond, and that no action shall be maintainable on such bond against any such surety unless the same be brought within two years

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next after the date of such bond, any Law, Ordinance or Custom to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

Renewal of License subject to condition.

5. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that no such license shall be renewed or fresh license granted unless the person applying shall have satisfactorily accounted for and paid over all the duties due to Government on Auctions theretofore held by him nor until he shall have entered into a new bond as required by the Third clause of this Ordinance, either with the same sureties (if approved of) or giving fresh security to be approved of by Government.

Auctioneer to furnish List of moveable property for sale &c.

6. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that every Auctioneer shall send to the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the Province in which he shall be licensed to act, a full and particular list of all the goods or moveable property he purposes to sell by auction, forty eight hours at least before the day appointed for the sale, stating, at the same time, the day, hour and place of the intended sale, and at the time of sale shall have and keep suspended in some conspicuous spot a true copy or counterpart of such full and particular list of all the goods and property for sale; nor shall any other article be sold or put up for sale on that day than those enumerated in such list. And any Auctioneer violating the provisions of this clause shall be subject to a fine at the discretion of the Court not exceeding Ten Pounds for every offence, and in default of payment be imprisoned for any term not exceeding Six months.

Penalty.

And keep a Book.

7. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that every Auctioneer shall keep a Book in which shall be regularly and correctly entered a List of all moveable property exposed by him for sale, the names of the Owners and of the Purchasers thereof, and the price for which each article or lot was sold, and that such Book shall be sent for inspection on or before the Tenth day of every month to the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the Province in which such Auctioneer shall have been licensed to act, who, after having examined, shall sign and return the same to such Auctioneer within forty eight hours after receipt thereof. And in case any Auctioneer shall refuse or neglect to keep such Book or to send the same for inspection in the manner herein directed, it shall be lawful for the Governor or Lieutenant Governor to declare, by notification in the Government Gazette, the License of such Auctioneer forfeited and cancelled.

Penalty.

Fees on sales of Immoveable property.

8. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that every Auctioneer shall be entitled to deduct from the proceeds of all immoveable property sold by him Two per Cent of the amount of such sale, which shall be in full discharge of his Fees as Auctioneer, that is to say, for writing the conditions of sale according to the instructions of his employer, for conducting the sale and for receiving or enforcing payment of the purchase amount.

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Do. of moveable property.

9. And it is further enacted that every Auctioneer shall deduct from the proceeds of all moveable property sold by him Four per Cent of the amount of such sale, Two per Cent whereof he shall duly account for and pay over to Government at the times hereinafter directed, and the remaining Two per Cent

Duty.

he shall retain in full discharge of his fees as Auctioneer, that is to say for inventorizing the property and numbering the lots and conducting the sale and for receiving or enforcing payment of the purchase money.

Additional charges.

10. Provided always that every Auctioneer in addition to the per-centage aforesaid, shall be allowed and shall recover from his employer (or from the Buyer if the conditions of sale so stipulate and specify the particular items) such of the charges and expences incurred by direction of his employer as are enumerated in the Table annexed to this Ordinance.

Exemptions from Duty.

11. And provided always, that no moveable property belonging to any Bankrupt or Insolvent Estate and sold under the provisions of any Ordinance or Regulation relating to Bankruptcy, the Relief of Insolvent Debtors or the privilege of Cessio Bonorum, shall be subject to the aforesaid duty of Two per Cent to be paid to Government.

When property bought in.

12. And it is further enacted that whenever property immoveable or moveable shall be bought in, the Auctioneer shall be entitled (in the absence of any special agreement to the contrary) to recover from his employer one per cent on the amount for which such property was bought in, together with all such additional charges as aforesaid.

Payment of Proceeds of sale.

13. And it is further enacted that every Auctioneer shall, within eight days after the sale of any property, immoveable or moveable, render to his employer or employers an account in writing of the property sold by him, and shall, immediately on the receipt of the purchase money, pay over to his employer or employers the net proceeds of the property sold by him.

Delivery of property sold.

14. And the better to enable Auctioneers to fulfil their duties, and to secure them and their employers against losses, It is further enacted, that no Auctioneer shall, unless expressly authorized by his employers so to do, deliver property sold by him at Auction until the purchase amount has been paid, but every Auctioneer shall in case of non-payment within the time limited by the Conditions of Sale, re-sell within one month the property at the risk of the first purchaser, and in like manner at the risk of every subsequent purchaser on re-sale by Auction in case of non payment for the same, and shall sue for and recover

Recovery of purchase money.

the difference or loss arising from any such re-sale by way of parate execution, and any District Court before which such suit shall be brought is hereby authorized and required to grant parate execution upon the plaint and affirmation of any such Auctioneer, without any other or further pleading or process than an Order on the party (against whom such parate execution is sought) to shew cause against the granting of the same.

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Return of sales of moveable property.

15. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that every Auctioneer shall, on or before the Fifth day of every month, make a Return to the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the Province in which he shall be licensed to act, of all such sales of moveable property as shall have been made by him during the preceding month, stating the amounts thereof, and specifying the duties payable to Government arising therefrom, which duties he shall, at the same time, pay into the Cutcherry, and every Auctioneer failing to make such Return and to discharge the duties payable to Government, or being convicted of making a false Return shall for each offence be subject to a Fine at the discretion of the Court, and in default of payment of such Fine shall be imprisoned for a term not exceeding Twelve months.

Penalty.

Exceptions from this Ordinance.

16. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that nothing in this Ordinance contained shall prevent or be construed to prevent any Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent from employing any person or persons whomsoever in selling Government property or Farms, or to prevent Fiscals or their Deputies from selling lands and goods in execution, or to prevent Fishermen or Fish Renters from selling the Fish caught daily, or to prevent the sale by any other person than a licensed Auctioneer of the Regimental effects of any Officer, Non commissioned Officer, Soldier or other persons serving with His Majesty's Forces in these Settlements or who shall die in such service leaving such effects.

Where no licensed Auctioneer resident.

17. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that in any District where there shall not be a licensed Auctioneer resident, the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent shall, on application from any individual, authorize some fit person to act, for the particular occasion, as Auctioneer, and shall direct all payments for goods or lands sold by him at Auction to be made directly into his Cutcherry, and Four per Cent on moveable and Two per Cent on immoveable property shall be charged by such Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent as well as such extra charges as may have been incurred, according to the annexed Table, and the same shall be deducted from the proceeds, and the balance shall without any unnecessary delay be paid to the person to whom such property belonged, and from such per-centage and charges so deducted such Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent shall assign to the person so authorized to act as Auctioneer such remuneration as he may consider adequate for his trouble; and the person so authorized to act as Auctioneer shall be allowed all the privileges allowed to Auctioneers in and by the 14th Clause of this Ordinance.

Or value of property very small.

18. AND WHEREAS it may often happen, in Districts where there is a licensed Auctioneer resident, that the property required to be sold by Auction may be of too small value to bear the travelling expenses and other extra charges which are allowed by this Ordinance to be charged by Auctioneers—It is further enacted, that in all

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cases of moveable or immoveable property, not exceeding the value of Fifteen Pounds, if the same be situate at more than ten miles distance from the residence of the nearest licensed Auctioneer in the District, the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent shall, upon application, authorize some fit person to act, for the particular occasion, as Auctioneer, in the manner and on the terms and with the privileges in the preceding clause mentioned:—Provided always that such Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent, before authorizing such person to act as Auctioneer, shall first be satisfied that some licensed Auctioneer has been applied to and has declined to conduct such sale, without payment of such travelling expenses and other extra charges as above mentioned.

Informer's share.

19. And it is further enacted that the informer shall be entitled to such share, not exceeding one half, of any fine or fines levied under this Ordinance, as shall, in the discretion of the Court imposing the same, be awarded to him.

Ordinance when to take effect.

20. And it is further enacted that this Ordinance shall commence and take effect from and after the First day of March One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven.

TABLE OF EXTRA-CHARGES.

In Sales of Moveable Property.	s.	d.
Proclaiming Sale in the usual manner on three several days, for each Proclamation— — — — —	0	9
Travelling Expenses if the place of Sale is more than a mile distant,		
Auctioneer per mile— — — — —	1	0
Person officiating as Clerk and Crier per mile— —	1	0
One per Cent. upon all property bought in.		
In Sales of Immoveable Property.		
Proclaiming Sale in the usual manner on three several days, for each Proclamation— — — — —	0	9
Writing and publishing four Advertisements in such languages as shall be directed by the employers;—one at the place of Sale, another at the Cutcherry, another at the District Court, and another at such public place as is directed Four Pence for each Advertisement if in one language; Eight Pence if in two, and so on at the same rate for each additional language.		
Interpreter's attendance at the Sale— — — —	1	6
Travelling expences if place of Sale more than a mile distant,		
Auctioneer per mile— — — — —	1	0
Person officiating as Clerk or Crier per mile— —	1	0
Interpreter per mile— — — —	0	6

Given at Colombo this Twenty Second day of December One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P. Anstruther,
Colonial Secretary.

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Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 6.

For revising the Stamp duties, and making provision for the general use of Stamps throughout the Colony.

Preamble. WHEREAS His Majesty hath been pleased to direct that the use of Stamps should be uniformly required throughout all parts of these Settlements, and for that purpose it is expedient to repeal the Regulation No. 4. of 1827, entitled "For repealing the Regulations No. 7. and No. 20. of 1823 under which stamp duties on Deeds and other instruments have been heretofore assessed and levied and for establishing New Tables of Stamp duties payable upon the same in British Currency with various alterations and amendments," and the Regulation No. 2. of 1830, entitled "To amend Regulation No. 4. of 1827 as far as regards the Stamp duty thereby imposed on conveyances of immoveable property;" and it is likewise expedient to revise the Stamp duties by those Regulation imposed, and to make such provisions for the general use of Stamps as are hereinafter contained:

Former Regulations repealed. 1. IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that from and after the First day of March One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven the said Regulations No. 4. of 1827 and No. 2. of 1830, except in so far as they repeal any previous Regulation or respect any offences then already committed, or any fines, penalties, liabilities, or rights then already accrued, or affect the validity of any Deed or other Instrument thereby required to bear Stamp, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Instruments to bear Stamps as under. 2. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that from and after the said First day of March One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven the several written Instruments hereinafter specified, made or executed within any part of these Settlement, shall bear a Stamp of such value and amount as hereinafter provided, that is to say,

Deeds conveying title to immoveable property. 1. All Deeds and other Instruments (except Leases and Mortgages) purporting to convey a title to immoveable property or any right, interest, or claim therein, shall be written on stamped Paper or other Material, bearing an ad valorem duty upon the bona fide consideration or actual value of the same, to be assessed according to the Table marked A. in the annexed Schedule.

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Do. to moveable property, Bonds, leases &c.

2. All Instruments whatsoever, in writing, purporting to transfer or make over any moveable property,

All Leases of immoveable property,

All Assignments of Ships,

All Mortgages, Bonds and Obligations for the payment of Money, and all Assignments thereof, shall bear an ad valorem Stamp according to the Table marked B. in the annexed Schedule.

3. All Bonds of indemnity and all penal Bonds for the performance of any duty or trust, all Bonds by which, before suit brought, any difference, matter or thing is submitted to arbitration, and.

4. All Deeds or other instruments of composition between Debtor and Creditor shall bear a Stamp of Seven Shillings and Six Pence each.

Agreements.

5. All Contracts and Agreements or the minute or memorandum of any agreement, whether the same shall only be evidence of a contract or obligatory upon the parties from its being a written instrument, where there is any stipulation to shew the bona fide actual value, or the whole pecuniary amount to be fully and definitively paid in furtherance and satisfaction of the same, shall bear an ad valorem Stamp according to the Table marked C. in the annexed Schedule; where there is not any stipulation to shew such actual value or amount, a Stamp in proportion to the number of words as in the said Table 'C.' in that behalf defined.

The value of a Contract or Agreement to pay an annuity for life shall be estimated at ten years amount of such annuity.

Bills of Exchange, Promisory Notes.

6. All Bills of Exchange and Promisory Notes, shall bear an ad valorem Stamp duty to be assessed according to the said Table 'C.'

Receipts.

7. All Releases, Receipts, or Acquittances given for or upon the payment of money shall bear an ad valorem Stamp duty according to the Table marked D in the annexed Schedule; any note, memorandum, or writing whatsoever given to any person for or upon the payment of money, whereby any sum of money, debt, or demand shall be expressed or acknowledged to have been paid, settled, balanced or satisfied, whether the same shall or shall not be signed with the name of any person, shall be deemed to be a receipt for a sum of money of equal amount with the sum debt or demand so expressed or acknowledged as aforesaid.

Receipts in full

A receipt in full of all demands shall bear a Stamp of Ten Shillings

Any receipt, memorandum or writing given as aforesaid which shall not specify the amount paid, settled, balanced or satisfied, shall be deemed to be a receipt in full of all demands and bear stamp accordingly.

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Powers of Attorney. 8. All Letters and Powers of Attorney whether general or special (excepting such as may be made by Soldiers and Sailors and their Executors and Administrator for Pay or Prize Money) executed within these Settlements shall bear a Stamp of Five Shillings each, and all substitutions under any Power of Attorney, a Stamp of Two Shillings and Six Pence each.

Notarial Acts. 9. Every Notarial Act, not otherwise specified herein, shall bear a stamp of Three shillings, and all Extracts and Copies of Notarial Acts, shall bear a stamp of One Shilling and Six Pence.

Notary's Warrant and Auctioneer's Licence. 10. Every Warrant to act as a Notary, and every Licence to act as an Auctioneer shall bear a Stamp of Three Pounds.

Instruments exempted from Stamps. 3. PROVIDED ALWAYS that no Stamp shall be required upon or in respect of any Wills and Testaments or Codicils; nor in the case of the several exemptions in the said Schedule mentioned; nor upon any conveyance of immoveable property made by, or to, or for the use or behalf of His Majesty's Government, or any lease of Government farms, or any bond, obligation or contract entered into with, or any security for money taken by direction of Government; or any Bills or Notes or Receipts or Acquittances made or given to or by Government, or any of the public Officers thereof, acting in its behalf; or in any way to charge Government with Stamp Duty in any transaction whatever.

Not necessary for agreement etc. to be in writing. 4. AND PROVIDED further, that nothing in this Ordinance contained shall be construed to make it necessary, in order to the legal validity of the same, that any Bargain, Contract, or Agreement should be reduced to writing further than is made necessary by Law already established, but only to require, that, if reduced to writing for the purpose of binding the parties thereto, or any or either of them, such writing shall bear such Stamp as is herein provided.

Person receiving money to furnish Stamped Receipt. 5. AND PROVIDED further, that any person receiving payment of money shall be obliged, if required so to do by the person from whom the payment is to be received, to furnish a release, receipt or acquittance upon proper stamp if liable to stamp under this Ordinance.

Penalty on party to unstamped or insufficiently stamped Instrument. 6. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that any person within these Settlements who shall execute, grant, negotiate or become party to any Deed or other Instrument by this Ordinance subject to Stamp duty, which shall be written on unstamped paper, or other material, shall upon conviction incur a fine not exceeding twenty times the amount of the Stamp proper to such Deed or Instrument; and any Notary,

Do. on Notary executing the same. who shall be convicted of having written or attested the execution of any Deed or other Instrument, written on unstamped or on insufficiently stamped

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paper or other material, shall incur a fine of fifty times the amount of Stamp proper to such Deed or Instrument, in addition to any Civil responsibility to which he may be liable: and in default of paying any such fine every such party convicted shall be liable to imprisonment with or without hard labour at the discretion of the Court for any period not exceeding Six Months.

No instrument to be received in evidence unless properly stamped

7. And it is further enacted that all Courts of Justice within these Settlements shall, without allegation or proof in that behalf, take Judicial notice of the several Stamps to which by virtue of this or of any other Law any Deed or other written Instrument is subjected: and that no Deed or other Instrument shall on any pretence whatsoever be given or received in evidence, or admitted in any such Court to be good or available in Law or Equity, unless it shall bear such stamp, as by Law, at the time of the execution thereof, it was required to bear.

Unless where party absent at time of execution.

8. Provided nevertheless that whensoever it shall appear to the satisfaction of any Court of Justice, that any Deed or other Instrument, which by the present or any former Ordinance or Regulation is subject to Stamp duty, being either wholly unstamped, or insufficiently stamped, is really and bona fide produced in evidence by or on behalf of any party in a suit, who, at the time of the execution of the said Deed or other Instrument, or at the time of becoming a party thereto, was not resident, or commorant within these Settlements, then, and in such case only, such Court shall and may receive the same upon an undertaking of the party producing it to have the said Deed or Instrument duly stamped; and on treble the amount of the Stamp duty payable thereon being deposited in the Court, and on a Certificate from the proper Officer of the Court, that such Deed or Instrument has been so received being sent with such Deed or Instrument, and with the treble amount so deposited to the Stamp Office at Colombo, such Deed or Instrument shall have the necessary Stamp affixed thereto, by the proper Officer of Government; And it shall be lawful for such Court to award, if justice so require, that the treble amount deposited by such party as aforesaid shall be repaid to him by any adverse party or parties in the suit, who shall have signed, or executed the same, on unstamped or insufficiently stamped paper, or other material.

Instrument insufficiently stamped, through error, may have proper Stamp affixed.

9. And it is further enacted that any party possessed of any Deed or other Instrument, which is stamped, and the only objection to which is that it is insufficientiy stamped through error or inadvertence, may at any time apply to the District Judge, Government Agent of the Province or his Assistant, and upon affidavit made that no fraud was intended, and upon payment of twenty times the difference between the amount of such insufficient stamp and of the stamp proper to such Deed or other Instrument, such District Judge, Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent shall transmit such Deed or other Instrument, together with a Certificate of the payment of such difference of amount to the Stamp Office at Colombo, and the

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proper Officer shall thereupon affix the proper Stamp to the same, and such Deed or other Instrument shall then be good, and available and admissible in evidence, to all intents and purposes against all objections founded on the mere want of Stamp; Provided nevertheless, that if such affidavit shall be false the party making the same shall upon conviction be liable to punishment by fine or otherwise according to the discretion of the Court.

No Stamp to be annexed to any Instrument.

10. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that it shall not be lawful to attach or annex to any Deed or other Instrument hereby made liable to Stamp duty any Stamped paper, or other material, so as to make up, either wholly or in part, the amount of Stamp duty, by law required thereon, nor shall such amount of Stamp duty be by such means considered or held to be made up, but every Stamped paper, or other material, which purports to belong to any such Deed or other Instrument as by the present Ordinance is subjected to Stamp duty, shall have written thereon a portion of such Deed or other Instrument.

Nor to be used a second time.

11. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that it shall not be lawful to use or apply any Stamp for or to any Deed or Instrument whatsoever liable to Stamp duty or upon any second occasion, which shall have been previously used as a Stamp; nor shall any deed or instrument acquire validity by means of any Stamp so previously used; and every party and Notary fraudulently using or applying any Stamp so previously used as aforesaid shall respectively be liable to the like punishment as by the 6th clause is imposed.

Penalty.

Reissuable Notes

12. PROVIDED ALWAYS that Promissory Notes, made payable to bearer on demand, may be reissued, after payment thereof, as often as shall be required.

Where Stamp cannot be procured at the time required.

13. AND WHEREAS it may frequently happen that Stamps cannot be readily procured at the very time they are required, It is further enacted that any party to any Deed or other Instrument whatever hereby required to bear Stamp may within three days after the execution thereof (excluding the day of the execution thereof,) lodge the same, together with the full amount of the Stamp duty thereon, in the hands of the Government Agent of the Province or his Assistant, who shall indorse upon such Deed or Instrument the date of the receipt thereof, and shall with all convenient speed transmit the same to the Stamp Office at Colombo; and the necessary Stamp shall thereupon be affixed to such Deed or Instrument which shall have the like validity as if stamped before the execution thereof, any thing in this or any other Regulation or Ordinance contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Stamp of higher amount than required.

14. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that no exception shall be allowed nor any penalty incurred, under this or any other Ordinance or Regulation, on the ground of the Stamp upon any Deed or other Instrument being of higher value or amount than by law, at the time of the execution thereof, was required for the same.

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SCHEDULE.

TABLE A.

Ad valorem Stamp duty on all Conveyances of Immoveable property.

	£	s.	d.
On every amount under—£ 3	0	1	0
On £ 3—and under— 5	0	1	6
,, ,, 5—and under— 10	0	3	0
,, ,, 10—and under— 15	0	4	6
,, ,, 15—and under— 20	0	6	0
,, ,, 20—and under— 25	0	7	6
,, ,, 25—and under— 30	0	9	0
,, ,, 30—and under— 35	0	10	6
,, ,, 35—and under— 40	0	12	0
,, ,, 40—and under— 45	0	13	6
,, ,, 45—and under— 50	0	15	0
,, ,, 50—and under— 60	0	18	0
,, ,, 60—and under— 70	1	1	0
,, ,, 70—and under— 80	1	4	0
,, ,, 80—and under— 90	1	7	0
,, ,, 90—and under— 100	1	10	0

And so on at the rate of 3 Shillings for every £10 of additional Value, but the Duty not to exceed in any Case £ 50.

TABLE B.

Ad valorem Stamp duty upon all Transfers of Moveable property, Mortgages, Bonds, Obligations, Leases, Assignments &c. &c.

	£	s.	d.
Under £ 1 no Stamp required			
On — 1 and under—£ 2	0	0	2
—— 2 and under— 5	0	0	3
—— 5 and under— 10	0	0	6
—— 10 and under— 20	0	2	0
—— 20 and under— 30	0	4	0
—— 30 and under— 40	0	5	0
—— 40 and under— 50	0	7	0
—— 50 and under— 75	0	10	0
—— 75 and under— 100	0	12	0
—— 100 and under— 150	0	16	0
—— 150 and under— 200	1	0	0
—— 200 and under— 300	1	10	0
—— 300 and under— 500	2	0	0
—— 500 and under— 1000	3	0	0
—— 1000 and under— 2000	4	0	0

And so on at the rate of One Pound for every additional sum of £1000.

Exemptions:

Bonds and Obligations required or becoming necessary in the course of Proceedings in any Court of law, but this exception is not to affect any fee of Court directed to be levied by stamp.

Bonds of Indemnity given to Fiscals, or any of their Officers in the course of executing process.

All transfers and endorsements of Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, and other negotiable Securities.

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TABLE C.

Ad valorem Stamp duty on Contracts and Agreements, Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes &c.

			£	s.	d.
Under £ 1 no Stamp required.					
On —	1 and under— £	2	0	0	1
———	2 and under—	3	0	0	2
———	3 and under—	5	0	0	3
———	5 and under—	10	0	0	6
———	10 and under—	20	0	1	0
———	20 and under—	30	0	1	6
———	30 and under—	40	0	2	0
———	40 and under—	50	0	2	6
———	50 and under—	60	0	3	0
———	60 and under—	80	0	3	6
———	80 and under—	100	0	4	0
———	100 and under—	150	0	5	0
———	150 and under—	200	0	6	0
———	200 and under—	300	0	7	0
———	300 and under—	500	0	8	0
———	500 and under—	1000	0	10	0
———	1000 and under—	2000	0	15	0
———	2000 and under—	3000	1	0	0
———	3000 and under—	5000	1	6	0
———	5000 and upwards	——	1	10	0

Foreign Bills drawn in sets to be charged at the same rate per set.

Where there is not any stipulation to shew the actual value or pecuniary amount of any agreement &c.

	s.	d.
on 120 words or less —— —— —— ——	1	6
above 120 words and not above 240 words —— ——	3	0

and so on at the rate of 1*s.* 6*d.* for every additional 120 words, or any less quantity, (if figures be made use of, every figure to count as a word.)

Exemptions from Stamp duty.

1. Memorandum, letter, or agreement made for or relating to the sale of any goods, wares or merchandize.
2. Letters containing any agreement in respect of any merchandize or evidence of such an agreement which shall pass by the Post between merchant or other persons carrying on trade.
3. Contracts and Agreements for the hire of any Labourer, Artificer, Manufacturer or Menial Servant.
4. Memorandum or Agreement for wages made between any Master of any Vessel or boat and the Mariners or Crew of the same.
5. Agreements and Contracts to marry.
6. Bills of Lading.
7. Conditions of Sale of any property sold by any licensed Auctioneer.

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TABLE D.

Ad valorem Stamp duty on all Releases, Receipts, &c.

			s.	d
Under £ 1	no Stamp required.			
On — 1	and under— £ 3		0	1
—— 3	and under— 5		0	3
—— 5	and under— 10		0	3
—— 10	and under— 15		0	6
—— 15	and under— 20		0	9
—— 20	and under— 30		1	0
—— 30	and under— 50		1	6
—— 50	and under— 100		2	0
—— 100	and under— 200		3	0
—— 200	and under— 300		4	0
—— 300	and under— 500		5	0
—— 500	and under— 1000		7	6
—— 1000	and upwards		10	0

Exemptions—

Receipts or discharges endorsed or otherwise written upon, or contained in any Bond, Mortgage, Bill of Exchange, Promissory Note, or other Security, or any Conveyance, Deed, or Instrument whatever duly stamped according to the laws in force at the date thereof acknowledging the receipt of the consideration thereon expressed, or the receipt of any principal money, interest, or annuity thereby secured.

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Colonial Secretary.

Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 7.

For establishing a new Tariff of Duties on Goods Exported and Imported.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to establish a new Tariff of duties to be charged on goods exported from and imported into this Colony:

Former Regulations repealed. 1. IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that from and after the First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven the 33d clause of the Regulation No. 9 of 1825, the Regulation No. 4 of 1829, entitled "For promoting the growth of certain Articles of agricultural produce in the Island of Ceylon and for the encouragement of agricultural speculation," and the Regulation No. 7 of 1830, entitled "For amending the Tariffs

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of duties imported and exported, and for encouraging the warehousing of Cotton," except in so far as respects any offences then already committed, or any fines, penalties, dues, or liabilities then accrued, or the repeal of any previous Regulations, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Goods subject to duty according to Tariff.

2. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that from and after the said First day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven all goods exported from any port of this Colony whether coastwise or otherwise or imported into this Colony from parts beyond the same, except such as are declared free, shall be liable to and charged with duty according to the rates specified in the Tariff to this Ordinance annexed.

Where duty chargeable ad valorem, Importer or Exporter to declare value.

3. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that the value of all goods to be exported or imported and chargeable with duty ad valorem shall be declared by the exporter or importer thereof; and if, upon examination, it shall appear to the Collector or Comptroller of Customs, or their Assistants, that any such Goods are not declared according to the true value thereof, it shall be lawful for such Collector Comptroller or their Assistants within two days from the day of such declaration to seize and take such Goods for the use of the Crown; any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding;—And the Collector or Comptroller or their Assistants shall thereupon, in the case of Goods entered for exportation, cause the amount of such valuation and of the duties, if any shall have been paid upon entry, to be paid to the exporter or proprietor of such goods in full satisfaction for the same; and in the case of Goods entered for importation shall cause the amount of such valuation and duties, if any shall have been paid upon entry, together with an addition of ten per cent upon such valuation, to be paid to the importer or proprietor of such Goods in full satisfaction for the same; and shall dispose of all such Goods by public Auction for the benefit of the Crown.

If value untrue.

Restoration, on Condition.

4. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that in case any Goods shall be taken as undervalued as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for Government, or for the Collector or Comptroller of Customs, to order the same to be restored, in such manner and on such terms and conditions as they shall think fit to prescribe;—And if the proprietor of the same shall accept the terms and conditions so prescribed, he shall not have or maintain any action for recompense or damage on account of such seizure and taking; And the person making such seizure shall not proceed in any manner for condemnation.

If proprietor unable to estimate value.

5. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that in any case in which the importer or exporter or proprietor of any such Goods shall declare himself unable to estimate the proper value thereof, the Collector or Comptroller of Customs or their Assistants shall set a value thereon, and the valuation so set shall be binding and conclusive upon the exporter, importer or proprietor thereof, and the

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duties shall be charged and paid upon such valuation;—Any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Wearing Apparel and Baggage duty free.

6. And it is further enacted, that all Wearing Apparel and personal baggage of whatever description, accompanying the owner, shall be admitted to importation duty free, except such portion thereof as shall on examination appear to the Collector or Comptroller of Customs to be imported for the purpose of Sale.

Goods warehoused for re-exportation free.

7. And it is further enacted, that all Goods (except Cinnamon, Cassia, and Cassia Buds) which shall be entered and warehoused for re-exportation at the Ports of Colombo, Galle, Jaffna and Trincomalie, shall be exempt from duty of Customs.

Goods carried coastwise.

8. And it is further enacted, that whenever Goods shall have been exported Coastwise from any one Port to any other Port of this Colony, the full amount of Custom duty paid on the export thereof shall be repaid to the Shipper or his Agent, on production of a Certificate, signed by the Collector or Comptroller of Customs or their Assistants at the place of relanding, (and which such Collector or Comptroller is hereby required to give without delay,) that such goods have been relanded in the same packages unopened, provided such Shipper or Agent shall on so exporting the same have entered such goods to be carried Coastwise, and shall have specified the place or places of relanding, and provided such Certificate shall be produced within the period of three months from the date of exportation.

Goods imported or exported without payment of duty.

9. And it is further enacted, that every person who shall export or import any goods on which the duties shall not have been paid, with intent to evade payment thereof, and every person who shall ship or land or assist in shipping or landing or shall receive on board or on shore any goods on which the duties shall not have been paid with intent to defraud Government of such duties, shall for each offence be liable to a fine not exceeding ten times the amount of the duties payable on such goods, or when that cannot be ascertained, to a discretionary fine and in default of payment of such fine to imprisonment with or without hard labor not exceeding 6 calendar months, and such goods shall be forfeited for the use of the Crown.

TARIFF OF IMPORT DUTIES.

	£	s.	d.
Ale, Porter, and all other Malt Liquors, in Hhds..each Hhd.	0	10	0
Do. per dozen quarts in Bottles....	0	0	6
Books printed, free.			
Bullion, free.			
Cattle, free.			
Coin, free.			
Garden Seeds, free.			

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	£	s.	d.
Goods, not otherwise enumerated, and not discharged of duty, being of the growth, produce or manufacture of Great Britain and Ireland or any other part of Europe, for every One Hundred Pounds of the value thereof in this market	4	0	0
Goods, being of the growth, produce or manufacture of any other place, for every One Hundred Pounds of the value thereof in this market	10	0	0
Horses, free.			
Implements and Tools for Agriculture and for any kind of manufacture, free.			
Instruments, Scientific, free.			
Liqueurs, viz:			
French, per quart Bottle	0	0	9
British { Cherry Brandy.... Do. Ratafia .... Raspberry Brandy.. Do. Ratafia .... Rum Shrub, & all other British Liqueurs } per doz. pints ..	0	4	6
Machinery, for agriculture or any kind of manufacture, free.			
Maps, free.			
Opium, per lb.....	0	1	0
Paddy, per Bushel.....	0	0	3
Pearls, free.			
Precious Stones, free.			
Regimental Clothing, free.			
Rice, per Bushel.....	0	0	7
Spirits, per Gallon.....	0	4	6
Stock (live), free.			
Timber, free.			
Wines, Viz :—			
Madeira, per Pipe	3	0	0
Do. per dozen quarts	0	1	9
Teneriffe per Pipe	1	10	0
Do. per dozen quarts	0	1	0
English Claret, per do.	0	4	0
Port, per Gallon....	0	0	6
Do. per dozen quarts	0	1	9
Lisbon White and Red, per Pipe	2	0	0
Do. do. per dozen quarts.....	0	1	3
Sherry, per Gallon	0	0	6
Do. per dozen quarts	0	1	9
French Claret, per Hogshead....	2	0	0
Do. per dozen quarts..	0	2	3
Champagne, per do.	0	5	0
Burgundy, per do.	0	5	0
Stein Wine, per do.	0	1	9
Do. do. in Cask per Gallon	0	0	6
Constantia, per dozen quarts.....	0	4	9
Do. in Cask per Gallon	0	1	7

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	£	s.	d.
Wines, Vizt:—			
Cape Wine, per Gallon	0	0	1
Do. per dozen quarts....	0	0	3½
Barsac, Sauterne, Vin de Grave, and all Wines not otherwise enumerated, per dozen quarts ..	0	1	9
Malmsey Madeira per Pipe.....	5	0	0
Do. do. per dozen quarts	0	2	6
Sercial per Pipe....	5	0	0
Do. per dozen quarts	0	2	6
Tinto, per Pipe..	5	0	0
Do. per dozen quarts	0	2	6

TARIFF OF EXPORT DUTIES.

Apparel (Wearing) and Personal Baggage, free.			
Bullion, free.			
Cattle, free.			
Cinnamon, per lb.....	0	2	6
Do. (if assorted as the third Sort by the Government assorters,) per lb..	0	2	0
Cinnamon Oil, per oz..	0	1	0
Goods not otherwise enumerated or discharged of duty at the rate for every One Hundred Pounds value thereof.....	2	10	0
Horses, free.			
Pearls, free.			
Precious Stones, free.			

Given at Colombo this Twenty Third Day of December One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P. ANSTRUTHER,

Colonial Secretary.

Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 8.

For protecting the Revenue derived from the Post Office and for revising the rates of Postage.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to protect by a Legislative Enactment the Revenue derived from the Post Office Establishment within these Settlements, to revise the rates of postage, and to lay down certain Regulations equally binding on the Public and that Department, and thereby to supersede the several rules now existing, whether in the form of Government Regulations, Advertisements, or otherwise:

Former Regulations and orders repealed. 1. IT IS THEREFORE ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that from and after the First day of February One Thousand Eight Hundred and

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Thirty Seven the Regulations of Government No. 3 of 1812, entitled "For regulating the franking of letters" and No. 20 of 1813, entitled "For establishing new rates of postage for letters in the British Settlements in the Island of Ceylon," and the Government Advertisements of the 12th June 1816, of the 28th June 1822, and of 23d October 1833, and all other Orders or Regulations relative to the Post Office Department within these Settlements, be repealed and rescinded.

All Letters to be sent by Post.

2. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall not be lawful for any person to transmit or convey any letter or letters from any part of these Settlements to any other part thereof by any other means than by or through the Post Office Establishment, with the following exceptions, that is to say, letters from or to any place not being in the line of road along which the Post travels, letters unsealed and open to inspection, letters concerning goods or documents or other property to be delivered, such letters being sent with or for the purpose of being delivered at the same time as the property they concern, letters to be sent by any private friend or friends in their way of journey or travel, or by any messenger sent on purpose for or concerning the private affairs of any person or persons; any person otherwise sending any letter shall pay a fine of ten times the postage chargeable on such letter, to be levied on his goods.

Exceptions.

Rates of Postage Inland.

3. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that upon all letters and packets to be transmitted from and after the said First day of February One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Seven by or through the Post Office Establishment to or from any place within these Settlements or to the Continent of India, there shall be levied the rates of postage, according to distance, specified in the Schedules to this Ordinance annexed.

Weight of Letters.

4. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that every letter not exceeding in weight half an ounce avoirdupois shall be taken to be and charged as a single letter—if exceeding half an ounce and not exceeding an ounce, as a double letter, if exceeding an ounce but not exceeding an ounce and half as a treble letter; and in like proportion every additional half ounce in weight shall be charged as a separate letter.

Privilege of franking without restriction.

5. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that the unrestricted privilege of sending and receiving all letters and packets free of postage be reserved to

His Excellency The Governor, or Lieutenant Governor, of these Settlements for the time being.
The Honble the Chief Justice of this Island.
The Honble the Officer Commanding H. M.'s Forces in this Island—and
The Honble the Colonial Secretary.

Privilege of franking under restrictions.

6. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that the privilege of sending and receiving all letters free of postage within these Settlements be also reserved to The Honble the Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court of this Island—The Honble the Members of the Executive

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Council—the Venerable the Archdeacon, and the Military Secretary or Assistant Military Secretary—provided the number of private letters sent do not exceed five, and the number received ten, daily; and that the weight of any letter do not exceed one ounce. And provided further, that all private letters franked by persons by this clause allowed that privilege, except those addressed in any Asiatic language, shall be directed exclusively in the hand-writing of the person franking, who shall not be at liberty to delegate his privilege to any other person; the date of the month shall be written in words at full length, and of the year in figures, and the letter shall be put into the Post Office on the day specified on the frank.

Counterfeit Franks.

7. And it is further enacted, that any person who shall write on any letter or envelope the name of any of the persons hereby declared to be entitled to the privilege of franking, in order that the same may go free, or with intent to defraud Government of the postage to which the same would be liable, shall, on conviction, forfeit for each offence the sum of Fifty Pounds, and in default of payment be imprisoned with or without hard labour for a period not exceeding Six Calendar months.

Letters on Public Service.

8. And it is further enacted, that all letters or packets on the Public Service, Civil or Military, to be forwarded to Colombo, or wherever the Colonial or Military Secretary or Assistant Military Secretary may happen to be, shall be directed to those Officers respectively, with the name and address on the envelope of the individual for whom they are intended, and such envelope shall bear the signature (and official designation, if he be in public employ,) of the person sending the same; and the Heads of Departments, their Assistants, and all others in public employ are hereby strictly forbidden so to place their signature upon any letter or upon the envelope of any letter or packet, unless they shall have satisfied themselves that it relates exclusively to the business of their respective Departments, and any person sending and any Public Officer permitting to be sent under color or pretence of an official communication, any letter, paper, writing or other enclosure of a private nature, shall on conviction forfeit and pay the sum of Five Pounds.

Penalty on sending private Letters &c. as Public.

Such Private Letters how to be treated.

9. And it is further enacted, that every Public Officer receiving any letter, paper or thing which shall have been sent by Post enclosed in or under color or pretence of an official communication, and which shall not actually and bona fide concern His Majesty's Service, and relate exclusively to the business of his Department, is hereby strictly required, on pain of being himself liable to the postage thereof and to a fine not exceeding Five Pounds for neglect, to transmit the same forthwith to the Post Master General in Colombo, or Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the Province, with the envelope under which the same was sent, in order that the postage together with the penalty may be levied and recovered from the person sending.

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Postage on Public Letters.

10. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that upon all letters passing between public officers, being exclusively and solely On His Majesty's Service, with the exception of those addressed to any person entitled to such unrestricted privilege as aforesaid or bearing his signature on the envelope, postage shall be levied, the total amount whereof at the end of the month shall be reimbursed to the Officer charged therewith by being brought into the Contingencies of the Department together with the proper vouchers.

Privilege of franking reserved to what non-resident authorities.

11. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that besides all persons in the United Kingdom, who by virtue of any Act of Parliament enjoy the right or privilege of transmitting their letters free of postage to this Colony, the following persons not residing in Ceylon shall be permitted to send and receive letters through the Post Office of this Island free of postage: The Governor General and Governors of the Presidencies of British India, The Commanders in Chief in British India and the Naval Commander in Chief, the Metropolitan Bishop of Calcutta and the Bishop of this Diocese, the Secretary to the Supreme Government and the Secretaries to Government at the several Presidencies of British India, and The Governors and Colonial Secretaries of any of His Majesty's Colonies.

NEWSPAPERS, PRICE CURRENTS, &c.

12. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that one penny only shall be charged on every printed Newspaper, Price Current or Shipping Report transmitted inland by or through the Post Office Establishment of this Colony from and to all parts thereof and to all parts beyond the same, such penny to be paid on putting the same into the Post Office; and that no Sea-postage shall be levied thereon when conveyed by Ships arriving at or sailing from any part of these Settlements, if sent open at both ends; but if any other paper or writing whatsoever be enclosed or concealed in any such printed Newspaper, Price Current, or Shipping Report, or there shall be any communication or writing thereon or on the cover thereof, except the name and address of the person by and to whom it is sent or any other reference or direction as to its delivery or transmission, it shall be charged with treble the duty of postage, which the person to whom the same is sent, receiving the same after notice thereof, shall be obliged to pay, or in case he refuses to receive it, shall be paid by the person sending, if he can be ascertained and be residing within these Settlements.

Penalty if other paper enclosed.

Official Gazettes free.

13. PROVIDED ALWAYS, that all Official Gazettes shall pass free of postage.

Magazines, Pamphlets.

14. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that all periodical Magazines and printed periodical Pamphlets, whether issuing from the Press of this Island or elsewhere, if sent open at both ends, be charged with a postage of one penny, and if the same exceed the weight of one Ounce at the rate of one farthing in addition per ounce,

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but no fractional parts of one farthing shall be charged, and the Post Master General or his Deputies at Outstations shall at all times have liberty of inspecting such Magazines and Pamphlets, to ascertain whether any other paper or communication be concealed or inserted therein not belonging thereto, and in case any other paper or communication be found therein, or it be not sent open at both ends as aforesaid, full postage shall be chargeable on the Magazine or Pamphlet as on a letter of the same weight.

Penalty if other paper enclosed.

15. And it is further enacted, that the transmission of Parcels by the Post shall only take place at such period or periods, and to and from such parts of these Settlements, and at such rates or charges, as shall from time to time, by previous Advertisement in the Gazette, be directed by the Governor or Lieutenant Governor for the time being.

Governor to make rules for the transmission of Parcels.

16. Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to oblige any person to send any printed Newspaper, Price Current, Shipping Report, Magazine, Pamphlet or Parcel through the Post Office, but that it shall be lawful for all persons to send the same in manner most practicable or convenient.

Newspapers &c. need not be sent by Post.

17 Provided further, that the privilege of franking shall not extend to any Printed Newspaper, Price Current, Shipping Report, Magazine or Pamphlet transmitted through the Post Office.

Newspapers etc. not to be franked.

18. And it is further enacted, that Notice shall be given by the Post Master General or his Deputies as early as possible after the arrival of any Ship, of the Parcels received thereby, but that no Parcel received by Sea, if the weight thereof exceed two ounces, shall be transmitted by Post until the same shall have duly passed through the Custom House and unless the person to whom it is addressed shall send an application to that effect to the Post Master General, when any such Parcel shall be forwarded to the person so applying, who will be held responsible for the postage due thereon, whatever may be its amount.

Parcels received by Sea.

SHIP LETTERS.

19. And it is further enacted, that on every Letter and Packet which shall be brought to Ceylon by any vessel arriving from any Port or Place beyond sea, there shall be a sea postage of Four pence, and on every Letter which shall be sent through the Post Office to any part beyond Sea a sea postage of Two pence, provided any such letter so brought or sent do not exceed the weight of two ounces; and one additional Shilling shall be charged on every additional ounce weight thereof, besides any postage chargeable thereon for subsequent transmission inland. And for the encouragement of the Masters or Commanders of vessels, it shall be lawful for the Post Master General to allow to the Commander or Master of every vessel arriving as aforesaid the sum of Two pence for each letter or packet, not being enclosed in the Ship Mails of the General Post Office of the United Kingdom, by him delivered or caused to be delivered, on his last arrival, at any Post Office in these Settlements.

Allowance to Masters of Ships.

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Master of Ship to receive mails.

20. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that the Captain, Master or other person in command of every vessel sailing from any Port of these Settlements shall receive on board and convey all mails and bags of letters which shall be delivered or caused to be delivered to him by the Post Master General or his Deputies, and every Captain, Master or other person in command of any vessel, who shall refuse or neglect duly to receive or convey the same when tendered to him, shall be liable to a penalty of One Hundred Pounds, and the Collector, Comptroller or other principal officer of Customs is hereby prohibited from granting the Port Clearance until the mails or bags so tendered have been received and a receipt given.

Penalty

Letters of Owners of Goods &c. free of postage.

21. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall be lawful for the Owners, Consignors, and Consignees of Goods on board vessels arriving from or sailing to any Port or Place beyond these Settlements, and for the Owners, Charterers and Consignees of such vessels to receive and send by such vessels letters free of sea-postage, provided that such Owners, Consignors, Consignees and Charterers shall be described as such in the address and that the fact of their truly being so shall appear by the Ship's Manifest and papers, and that the Letter or Letters brought by any one such Ship, for any one such Owner, Consignor, Consignee or Charterer shall not collectively exceed the weight of Six ounces—but in the instance of Packets or Letters received by Sea such Packets or Letters must be sent to the Post Office of the Place where the vessel on arrival first touches.

Persons falsely superscribing Letters as Owners &c.

22. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any person within the Jurisdiction of the Courts of these Settlements who shall falsely and fraudulently superscribe any letter, as being the Owner, Charterer, or Consignee of the vessel conveying the same, or the Owner, Consignor or Consignee of Goods on board thereof shall for every such offence be liable to a fine of Twenty Pounds.

Master to land Letters at first Port in Ceylon.

23. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that on the arrival of any vessel off the coast of Ceylon, the Master or person in chief command thereof shall cause all letters on board to be collected and at the first Port send the same on shore by his own Boat or by the Pilot Boat, or any other safe and convenient opportunity, in order that the same may be delivered at the earliest period at the first regular Post Office which can be communicated with and shall at such Port sign and forward to the Collector or Comptroller or principal Officer of Customs a Declaration to the effect following, that is to say:

And make Declaration.

"I *A B* Commander of the *(state the name of the Ship or Vessel)*
"arrived from *(state the place)* do, as required by Law, declare, that
"I have to the best of my knowledge and belief, delivered, or caused
"to be delivered to the Post Office, every Letter, Bag, Package or
"Parcel of letters that were on board the *(state the name of the*
"*Ship.")*

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And that until such Declaration shall be so forwarded the Collector, Comptroller or Principal Officer of the Customs shall not permit such Ship or Vessel to report, or receive the Port Clearance, and in case such Declaration shall be false, the person making the same shall upon conviction be liable to a fine of Fifty Pounds.

Penalty on false declaration.

24. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall be lawful for any Collector or Comptroller of Customs or Master Attendant or other Officer, at any port or place in these Settlements, who in the due execution of his duty as a Revenue Officer shall discover any letters or packets on board any Vessel, in any port or place whatsoever, contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance, to seize and take all such letters and packets, and to forward the same to the Post Master General or his Deputy at such port or place; and that the Officer seizing and sending the same shall be entitled to one moiety of any penalty which may be imposed and be recovered for any such offence.

Letters unlawfully on board vessels to be seized.

25. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that the Masters Attendant at their respective stations shall give the earliest intimation possible to the General Post Office of the intended departure of all Vessels for England, India, or elsewhere, and shall deliver to the Commanders of such Vessels on their departure any letter-packets that may be sent to their respective Offices from the General Post Office, and obtain a receipt for the same which shall be lodged in the Post Office.

Notice of departure of vessel.

Delivery of Letters.

26. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that letters addressed to any place in India, shall be charged with full postage to the place of their respective addresses, to be paid on putting such letters into the Post Office; and that all Parcels, Pamphlets &c. shall be paid as far as the boundary of this Island, and that all letters and newspapers received from any of the Presidencies of India, shall be delivered free of postage in this Island, provided the same shall bear the stamp of any of the Post Offices of those Presidencies as having been paid or shall be free under the provisions of the 11th clause of this Ordinance; and all parcels received by post from India shall be charged postage from the boundary to its destination in this Island.

Postage on Letters sent to or from India.

27. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that Money, Jewels, ornaments, or other valuable articles sent by Post, shall be received and forwarded at the entire risk of the persons sending the same, and the letter or packet containing the same shall be charged with letter postage according to the weight thereof.

Money, &c. sent by Post.

28. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that all Letters which the persons addressed shall refuse to receive shall be returned to the Office from whence they were despatched, and the persons sending the same, if in these Settlements, shall be charged with the original postage, and all Letters addressed to persons who cannot

Letters refused by persons to whom addressed.

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be found at the place of address shall be returned (without charge) either to the persons sending them or to the Office from whence they were first despatched, and in the latter case they shall be entered in a list to be exposed in the most public part of such Office, and, from time to time the list shall be sent to the Post Master General to be published in the Government Gazette.

Person opening Letter to pay postage.

29. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any person opening a letter or envelope, shall be bound to pay the postage of the same, whatever may be the contents, but it shall be lawful for the Post Master General to remit the postage of any letter so opened, which shall appear to have been sent maliciously to annoy and charge the person addressed with the postage thereof.

Letters sent by Seamen.

30. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall be lawful for every Seaman actually employed in His Majesty's Navy, or in the employ of this Government, to send single letters by Post on his own private concerns only, at the rate of one penny only for each such letter, to be paid upon putting the same into the Post Office; Provided nevertheless, that upon every such letter the name of the writer, and his class or description in the Ship or Vessel to which he shall belong, shall be superscribed; and provided also, that upon every such letter there shall be written in the hand-writing of and signed by the Officer having at the time the command of the Ship or Vessel, his name and the name of the Ship or Vessel commanded by him.

Letters addressed to Seamen.

31. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall be lawful for every Seaman actually employed in His Majesty's Navy or in the employ of this Government, to receive by the Post on his own private concerns only, free from postage, single letters; Provided that the sum of one penny for the postage of each single letter shall be paid upon putting the same into the Post Office; and provided also, that every such letter shall be directed to such Seaman, specifying on the superscription thereof the Ship or Vessel to which he shall belong; and provided likewise, that it shall not be lawful for the Postmaster General or his deputy at the Place to which such letter shall be sent to be delivered, to deliver such letter to any person except the Seaman to which such letter shall be directed or to some person appointed to receive the same, by writing under the hand of the Officer having the command of the Ship or Vessel to which such Seaman shall belong.

Not to extend to Commissioned Officers &c.

32. PROVIDED NEVERTHELESS, that nothing in the two last preceding clauses contained shall extend or be construed to extend to letters sent by or to Commissioned Officers or Warrant Officers, Midshipmen or Masters Mates.

Letters sent by Soldiers.

33. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that it shall be lawful for every Serjeant, Corporal, Drummer, Trumpeter, Fifer and Private Soldier in His Majesty's Forces whilst actually employed in His Majesty's Service in this Colony, to send single letters by Post, on his and their own

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private concerns only, at the rate of one penny only for each such letter, to be paid upon putting the same into the Post Office; Provided nevertheless, that upon every such letter so to be sent, the name of the writer and his class or description in the Regiment, Corps, or Detachment to which he shall belong shall be subscribed; and provided also, that upon every such letter there shall be written in the hand-writing of and signed by the Officer having at the time the Command of the Regiment, Corps or Detachment, his name and the name of the Regiment, Corps or Detachment commanded by him.

Letters addressed to Soldiers.

34. And it is further enacted, that it shall be lawful for every Serjeant, Corporal, Drummer, Trumpeter, Fifer, or Private Soldier in His Majesty's Forces, whilst actually employed in his Majesty's Service in this Island and not otherwise, to receive by the Post, on his or their own private concerns only, free from postage, single letters; provided, that the sum of one penny for the postage of each such letter shall be paid upon putting the same into the Post office; and provided also, that every such letter shall be directed to such Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier, specifying on the superscription thereof the name of the Regiment, Corps or Detachment, to which he shall belong; and provided likewise, that it shall not be lawful for the Post Master General or his deputy at the place to which such letter shall be sent to be delivered, to deliver such letter to any person, except the Serjeant, Coporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier, to whom such letter shall be directed, or to some person appointed to receive the same, by writing under the hand of the Officer having the Command of the Regiment, Corps or Detachment to which such Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier shall belong.

Not to extend to Commissioned or Warrant Officers.

35. Provided nevertheless, that nothing in the two last preceding clauses contained shall extend or be construed to extend, to letters sent by or to Commissioned Officers or Warrant Officers.

Officer in Command improperly signing.

36. And it is further enacted, that if any person having the command of the Ship, Vessel, Regiment, Corps or Detachment, and who is hereby authorised to write his name and the name of the Ship, Vessel, Regiment, Corps or Detachment commanded by him, upon any single letter from any such Seaman, Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier, shall wilfully and knowingly write his name upon any such letter that is not from any such Seaman, Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpetor, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier, and on his or their own private concerns only, such Commanding Officer shall for every such offence be liable to a fine of Five Pounds.

Other than Officer in Command so signing.

37. And it is further enacted, that if any person not having at the time the Command of the Ship, Vessel, Regiment, Corps or Detachment, shall write his name upon any such letter, in order that the same may be sent at a lower rate of postage

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than by Law established, every such person shall, for every such offence, be liable to a fine of Five Pounds.

Letters not belonging to Seamen, etc. addressed to them.

38. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that if any person or persons whosoever shall knowingly and designedly address a letter or letters to any such Seaman, Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier, which shall be intended for another person, or which shall be concerning the affairs of another person, with intent to evade the payment of the rate of postage by Law established, every such person or persons so offending shall, for every such offence, be liable to a fine of Five Pounds.

Person improperly obtaining Officer's Signature.

39. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that if any person or persons whosoever shall procure any such Seaman, Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer, or Private Soldier, to obtain the signature of his Commanding Officer to any letter or letters to be sent by the Post, which shall not be on the private concerns of such Seaman, Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier; or if any such Seaman, Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier shall himself obtain the signature of his Commanding Officer upon any letter or letters which shall not be from such Seaman, Serjeant, Corporal, Trumpeter, Drummer, Fifer or Private Soldier, and upon his own private concerns only, in order to avoid the payment of the rate of postage by Law established, each and every person so offending shall, for every such offence, be liable to a fine of Five Pounds.

Informer's share of Penalties.

40. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that a share not exceeding one moiety of any fines or penalties, which under or by virtue of this Ordinance shall be imposed and paid or levied shall be awarded to the Informer, and in default of paying any such fine or penalty the offender or offenders shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding six calendar months, or until such penalty or forfeiture shall be sooner paid or levied.

Theft of Mail, etc.

41. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any person who shall rob, steal or fraudulently obtain possession of any Mail of letters or of any letter, packet or parcel, entrusted to and to be conveyed by post, shall be guilty of a Misdemeanor and punishable accordingly.

Persons in the Post Office embezzling, etc. Letters.

42. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any person who being employed in any capacity in, by or under the Post Office Establishment, shall fraudulently secrete, steal, embezzle, destroy, mutilate or break open any letter, packet or parcel which shall have been put into the Post for transmission, whether any thing valuable be therein contained or not, or who, being so employed, shall steal or fraudulently take out of any such letter, packet or parcel, any draft, promissory note or any other contents whatsoever, or who shall embezzle or not duly account for any money received by him on account of postage, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable according to the circumstances of the case.

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SCHEDULE I.

Rates of Inland Postage.

		Miles	d.
For any distance not exceeding	....	10	1
,, ,,	....	20	2
,, ,,	....	35	3
,, ,,	....	50	4
,, ,,	....	65	5
,, ,,	....	80	6
,, ,,	....	95	7
,, ,,	....	120	8
,, ,,	....	150	9
,, ,,	....	180	10
,, ,,	....	210	11
,, Exceeding	....	210	12

The same rates are to be charged on letters from any place within the Government Agency of the Northern Province to any place on the Continent of India not exceeding the distance of 400 Miles from Jaffna.

SCHEDULE II.

Rates of Postage for a single Letter to places in India.

	Miles.	s.	d.
Ahmedabad	1549	2	—
Ahmednugger	1178	2	—
Aleppe	696	1	6
Arcot	526	1	4
Arnee	545	1	4
Asseerghur	1374	2	—
Aurungabad	1248	2	—
Balasoor	1409	2	—
Bangalore	628	1	6
Baroche	1432	2	—
Baroda	1480	2	—
Bejapoor	1027	2	—
Belgaum	928	1	10
Bellary	831	1	9
Berhampoor	1209	2	—
Bhooj	1794	2	—
Bombay	1192	2	—
Calcutta	1543	2	—
Calicut	671	1	6
Cambay	1514	2	—
Canjeveram	500	1	3
Cannanore	729	1	7
Cawnpore		2	—
Chingleput	476	1	3

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	Miles.	s.	d.
Chicacole	1056	2	—
Chittoor	564	1	5
Cochin	731	1	7
Coimbatore	558	1	5
Combaconum	394	1	2
Coringa	939	1	10
Cuddalore	395	1	2
Cuddapah	687	1	6
Cuttack	1300	2	—
Damaum	1319	2	—
Deesa	1652	2	—
Dindigul	486	1	3
Ellickpoor	1279	2	—
Ellore	817	1	9
Ganjam	1192	2	—
Goa	1005	2	—
Guntoor	759	1	7
Gwalior	1768	2	—
Hurryhur	813	1	9
Hyderabad	945	1	10
Indoor	1481	2	—
Jaulnah	1232	2	—
Jayapoor	1880	2	—
Kairah	1529	2	—
Kamptee	1268	2	—
Karrical	331	1	1
Kedgeree	1496	2	—
Kittoor	923	1	10
Kurnool	809	1	9
Maddepolam	869	1	10
MADRAS	315	1	4
Madura	484	1	3
Mangalore	821	1	9
Masulipatam	824	1	9
Mhow	1490	2	—
Mysore	659	1	6
Nagercoil	724	1	7
Naggery	572	1	5
Nagore	324	1	1
Nagpore	1252	2	—
Nassurbad	1795	2	—
Negapatam—	319	1	1
Nellore	621	1	6
Nemutch	1650	2	—
Ootoocamund	581	1	5
Palamcottah	584	1	5
Palaveram	502	1	4
Poonah	1102	2	—
Poonamalee	527	1	4
Pondicherry	407	1	3

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	Miles.		s.	d.
Portonovo	377	—	1	2
Pulicat	548	—	1	4
Quilon.....	641	—	1	6
Ramnad		—	1	0
Ramisseram		—	1	0
Sadras.....	495	—	1	4
Salem	513	—	1	4
Saugur	1583	—	2	—
Secunderabad	948	—	1	10
Seringapatam	668	—	1	6
Sheally	356	—	1	2
Surat	1393	—	2	—
Tanjore	371	—	1	2
Tellicherry	714	—	1	7
Tranquebar..	338	—	1	1
Trevandrum	681	—	1	6
Trichinopoly	403	—	1	3
Tutucoreen	617	—	1	6
Vellore	542	—	1	4
Vengatagherry cottah —	591	—	1	5
Vizagapatam	1000	—	1	11
Wallajabad	419	—	1	3

Given at Colombo this Twenty Third day of December, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P. ANSTRUTHER,
Colonial Secretary.

Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Ceylon with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

No. 9.

For defining the powers, duties and responsibilities of Fiscals and their Officers.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to define the powers, duties and responsibilities of all Fiscals throughout these Settlements, and of their Officers in the execution of process, and for that purpose it is expedient to repeal the Regulations now in force within the Maritime Provinces, and to make certain incidental provisions in respect to such process:

Former Regulations and Proclamation repealed.

1. IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE GOVERNOR OF CEYLON with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that the Regulation No. 13 of 1827 entitled "For amending Regulation No. 6 of 1824 declaring the duties and responsibilities of Fiscals and for the more certain and correct exe-

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cution of the process of the several Courts of Justice, and for consolidating the same with No. 7 of 1824," the 33d Clause of the Proclamation of the 22d day of January 1801, the Regulation No. 3 of 1825, entitled "For repealing the Third Regulation of 1819, and vesting in the Governor the power of fixing the rates of allowances to prisoners and of altering the same from time to time;" and the Regulation No. 3 of 1821, entitled "For enabling Fiscals to receive deposits of money in cases of arrest instead of taking bail for defendants' appearance," except in so far as the same repeal any other Regulation, be and are hereby repealed.

Fiscals to execute Process of Courts.

2. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that all Fiscals and their Deputies duly appointed shall execute all Citations, Monitions, Summonses, Mandates, Rules, Orders, Warrants, Commands and process of all Courts of Justice duly constituted within these Settlements, according to the extent of Jurisdiction of the said Courts respectively, and make and certify the return, together with the execution thereof, to the said Courts, and shall receive and detain in prison such persons as shall be by the said Courts or other competent authority committed to the charge of such Fiscals respectively for that purpose.

And receive Prisoners.

If Fiscal personally interested.

3. PROVIDED ALWAYS, that whenever any Court shall direct or decree any process against any Fiscal or direct any process in any cause, matter, or thing, wherein on account of his being related to either of the parties, or for any just cause, it shall appear to such Court to be improper that he should execute the same, the Court shall name and appoint some other fit person to execute and return the process, which shall be directed to the person or persons so named, and the cause of such special proceeding shall be suggested and entered on the records of the said Court.

Nomination of Deputy by Fiscal.

4. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that any Fiscal whenever he shall nominate and appoint any person to be his Deputy, shall within three days after the execution of the warrant of deputation, which shall be made according to Form A subjoined to this Ordinance, send a correct transcript thereof to the Supreme Court, and to every other Court having jurisdiction within such Deputy's District or Division, and also to the Colonial Secretary, and shall, in like manner, notify whensoever he shall revoke any such deputation.

Fiscal may appoint any person to execute Process.

5. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that it shall be lawful for such Fiscal or his Deputy to appoint by writing under his hand any person or persons to execute process either generally or in any particular case.

Native Headman to execute Process.

6. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that the several Mudliars of Districts and other Principal Native Headmen thereof and their subordinate Headmen shall be in general authorized and required to execute all process either in Civil or Criminal cases sent to them by any such Fiscal for execution, and in the execution

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thereof they, and such subordinate Officers as they may employ, shall be maintained and protected by Law, as the Officers of such Fiscal, although not holding any written deputation or warrant from him, further than a copy authenticated by the signature of such Fiscal of the process which such persons shall and may be employed to serve and execute.

Officers, except local Headmen, to carry a Staff.

7. PROVIDED ALWAYS that every person proceeding to execute process under the authority of the Fiscal, except the Native Headmen and Police Vidahns when within their ordinary local limits, shall have in his possession a Staff with a Crown and initials indicating the Reigning Sovereign painted or otherwise emblazoned thereon, as also the name of the Province, and shall, if required so to do, produce and openly shew such Staff when in the act of executing such process.

Native Headmen civilly responsible to Fiscals.

8. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that all such Native Headmen and Police Vidahns shall severally be civilly responsible to such Fiscal for the due performance of the duty entrusted to them.

Fees.

9. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that any Fiscal, Deputy Fiscal, or any of his Officers, or any person in his employ, who shall demand or take any fee for the execution of any process issuing out of any Court or for performing any other business of the Fiscal's Office, save and except the fees which the Supreme Court is authorized to allow or which by this Ordinance are allowed, shall incur a fine of Five Pounds for each offence.

Resistance to Fiscals or Officers

10. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that every person making or inciting resistance or obstruction to any Fiscal, his Deputy or Deputies or others his Offices or to the Mudliars or other Headmen or their subordinate Officers in the lawful execution of process, shall be subject to punishment according to the nature and circumstances of the case.

Headmen to aid in execution of Process.

11. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that all Native Headmen and Police Vidahns, altho' process be not specially directed to them, shall in general within their local limits afford their aid and assistance to the Fiscal and his Officers in the lawful execution of their duties, when required by him or them so to do; and any Native Headman or Police Vidahn wilfully neglecting or refusing to afford such aid or assistance or making any statement or report to the Fiscal or his Officer calculated to mislead or deceive him or them, shall be subject to punishment according to the nature and circumstances of the case.

Fiscal civilly responsible for himself and Officers.

12. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that every Fiscal shall in the execution of any process directed to or returnable by him be civilly responsible in damages to any person who may be aggrieved in consequence of any fraud, negligence, or want of ordinary diligence or of any irregularity of proceed-

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ing, or abuse of authority (but not otherwise) on the part of such Fiscal, his Deputy or other his Officers or of the Native Headmen, Police Vidahns or other subordinate Officers in the execution of such process. Provided that nothing herein contained shall preclude any person aggrieved from appealing to the Laws for redress against the immediate wrongdoer, civilly or criminally, according to the nature and circumstances of the case.

Action against Fiscal.

13. PROVIDED ALWAYS, that no action shall be maintainable against any Fiscal to recover damages for any act or neglect of himself or his Deputies or other officers unless previous notice in writing (distinctly setting forth the grounds of such action) be given to him by the plaintiff or his proctor one month at least before the commencement thereof; and it shall be lawful for such Fiscal at any time before the commencement of such action, to tender amends to the party aggrieved, and if the same be refused, to plead such tender, at the same time paying into Court the amount tendered, and if the Court on the decision of the case shall declare and record that the tender so made and paid into Court is sufficient amends to the party aggrieved, Judgment with full costs shall be entered for such Fiscal.

Rules for execution of Process.

14. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that the service or execution of Process against person or property shall respectively be subject to the following general Rules:

Time of arrest in Criminal Case.

RULE 1. Any person charged with a Criminal offence and any person who, having been once duly arrested on Civil process, shall have escaped or shall have been rescued, may be arrested at all times, and on all days whether by night or by day and whether on Sunday or any other day.

Do. in Civil Case.

2. Process in Civil cases, whether at the suit of the Crown or individuals, shall not be served or executed between the period of sun-set and sun-rise; nor on a Sunday, Good Friday, or Christmas-day; nor on any Christian Clergyman, nor on any Minister of any other Religion, while performing his functions in any place of public worship, nor upon any individual of any congregation during the performance of public worship at any such place.

Copy and Translation of Process.

3. In all cases of the service of Process either against the person or property of any party being a native, a Copy of such Process and Translation thereof in the language of or understood by every such party shall be left with or openly tendered to him; such copies to be issued to the Fiscal by the Court with the original Process.

Mode of arrest in Civil Case.

4. To constitute an arrest in Civil cases the body of the person to be arrested shall be actually seized or touched by the Officer executing the process, unless such person express his acquiescence in the arrest without being so seized or touched.

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Deposit in lieu of bail.

5. In any case of arrest on mesne process for debt or damages, if the person against whom the writ has issued shall deposit with the Fiscal the amount mentioned in the Warrant together with a further sum of Seven Pounds and Ten Shillings to answer any costs to which he may be adjudged liable, the Fiscal shall receive such deposit and the same shall be deemed as sufficient security according to the exigency of the writ, and shall forthwith pay the same into Court to abide the result of the suit or the order of the Court.

When Outer Door may not be forced.

6. The Outer-door of any Dwelling House shall not be forced open in order to seize the person under process issued at the suit of a private individual.

When it may.

7. Any door may be forced in the execution of Criminal process.

Admittance to be first demanded.

8. And in all cases in execution of process against property, but not in the latter cases until admittance shall first have been demanded by the Fiscal or his Officer in the presence of the Constable, Police Vidhan or other Headman of the division or village in which the dwelling is situate, in whose presence also, if admittance be not granted, whether there be any person therein or not, the Fiscal or his Officer shall force open the same.

Person arrested to be confined in Gaol.

9. After any person shall have been taken into the custody of any Fiscal under Civil process such person shall not be allowed by any Fiscal, Deputy Fiscal or Gaoler on any pretence to go beyond the walls or other enclosed limit of the prison in which such person may be confined, unless upon the special Rule and order of some competent Court requiring the attendance of such person to be carried before any such Court for the purpose of preferring any complaint or application, on pain that the Fiscal, in whose custody such person may be, shall be answerable to the party at whose suit he shall have been confined for the full amount for which he was in custody.

Unless attending Divine Service or Bathing.

10. It shall nevertheless be lawful for the Fiscal to permit as well Christians as those professing any other Religion being prisoners for debt to attend divine service at the Church, Temple or Mosque nearest to the prison once in every fortnight between the hours of 9 in the morning and 2 o'clock each day under a proper guard; and to permit all prisoners for debt to bathe at the nearest bathing place to the prison, (in case only there shall be no sufficient means of bathing within the prison itself,) once in every week under a proper guard; but it shall not be lawful for the Fiscal or any of his Officers to permit any prisoner either on going to or returning from the Church

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Temple or Mosque or place of bathing to go to his own house or any other house or place on any pretence whatsoever, and the person in charge of such prisoner, in case he shall so permit him, shall be liable to punishment.

Creditor to point out property of debtor.

11. In every case of execution against property the party at whose suit the process is issued shall point out to the Fiscal or his Deputy the property of his debtor, in case the same shall not be known to the Fiscal or his Deputy.

Seizure of property.

12. The Fiscal shall thereupon cause the property or a portion of it sufficient to satisfy the writ to be seized, and a list of such property shall forthwith be made and signed by the person or persons seizing the same, which shall be delivered to the person or persons in whose possession the property seized shall be, or if no person be in possession then to the Headman or Constable of the division, and a duplicate thereof shall be deposited in the Fiscal's Office.

Property claimed by others before seizure.

13. If any property so pointed out whether moveable or immoveable be claimed by others, the Fiscal shall not stay the seizure thereof unless the claimant or claimants, when not in actual possession thereof, do forthwith furnish the Fiscal or his Officer with a statement in writing of the nature and particulars of his or their claims respectively, and unless he or they do give good and sufficient security of two or more persons to be responsible for all damages, costs and charges to which he or they respectively may be liable in consequence of such claim and stay of sale, and of any proceedings which may be instituted by or against him or them respectively in consequence or in respect thereof; nor unless the claimant, if he be in possession of the property, shall give good and sufficient security to be in like manner responsible for damages, costs and charges, and further, that the property shall be delivered over to the Fiscal in the same condition as nearly as the nature of it will admit or if of perishable nature that the value thereof shall be duly accounted for in the event of its being adjudged liable to such Execution, and in case such statement and security be furnished the Fiscal having made out lists as hereinbefore directed, shall report the circumstances to the Court.

Where Fiscal unable to secure property seized.

14. Since it may frequently happen that property may be seized or sequestered in parts of the country where there are no adequate means of securing the same, the Fiscal and his Officers whenever he or they shall be unable safely and securely to keep any property seized or sequestered at the place where the same shall be so seized or sequestered, may either cause the same

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to be removed to some fit place of security; (the expence of which removal shall be borne by the Debtor, and if not previously paid by him may in the first instance be levied out of the first proceeds of the property seized or sequestered or by process of parate Execution, at the suit of the Fiscal, against any other property of the Debtor;) or may require the owner or possessor of the property to take charge thereof until the time of sale, giving security to the satisfaction of the party obtaining the writ that he will in the mean time safely and securely keep the same—And if such owner and possessor fail to give such security the party obtaining the writ may be required to take charge of the property giving the like security to the satisfaction of the Fiscal. And in default thereof the Fiscal shall report the case to the Court and shall be no longer responsible for any injury or loss or damage which may happen to such property.

Notice of Sale.

15. The property being duly seized, the Fiscal shall then (except in the cases hereinafter provided or where a longer time shall under the particular circumstances of any case be specially directed by the Court,) give notice of the sale thereof, fourteen days at the least and not exceeding thirty days before the day of sale, specifying the property to be sold, in what suit, at what place and on what day and hour, and if the sale be of immoveable property the Fiscal shall forthwith cause to be made three copies of such notice in the form hereunto subjoined (marked B) in English and in the Native language prevailing within the District, one of which he shall transmit to the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent, who is hereby required forthwith to affix the same at his office or the usual place of publishing notices, one the Fiscal shall cause to be fixed at the Court House, and the other he shall cause to be delivered to the principal headman of the Village or Constable of the Division in or nearest to which the property shall be situated, to be by him published at the said village and affixed on some conspicuous spot on the property for sale; each of which publications shall be made ten days at the least before such sale takes place.

Property claimed after seizure.

16. If any property seized shall after seizure but before sale be claimed by others, the Fiscal shall not stay the sale thereof unless the claimant or claimants when not in actual possession thereof, do in respect of such claim similary furnish, to the Fiscal or his officer, a statement and security and when in actual possession furnish security as required by the 13th Rule of the 14th Clause of this Ordinance in respect of any claim and stay of seizure thereunder.

Postponement of Sale.

17. No Fiscal's sale shall be postponed after notice shall have been given thereof as aforesaid, unless where the property shall be claimed and statement and security

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furnished as aforesaid, or unless application in writing shall be made to the Fiscal for that purpose, for or on behalf of the party suing out the writ; which application the said Fiscal shall forthwith report to the Court out of which the process issued.

Renewed Sale.

18. Nor shall any renewed sale take place, in any case, until after a repetition of notice in the manner hereinbefore directed.

Fiscal's Officer to conduct sale.

19. Every sale shall invariably be held by an Officer of the Fiscal's Department or some other person duly authorized by such Fiscal by writing under his hand; who shall be entitled to a fee of two per cent on the proceeds actually received in respect of every sale and resale. And in every case in which at the time appointed the sale shall be postponed or stayed at the request or with the concurrence of the party suing out the writ, such remuneration shall be paid to him as the Court shall award with reference to his trouble.

Terms of Sale of Moveable property.

20. The sale of moveable property shall be for ready money, and not otherwise.

Do. of Immoveable.

21. The sale of immoveable property shall be conducted on the spot unless the Court shall otherwise direct or unless on application in writing to the Fiscal the parties shall agree to its being conducted elsewhere and if the value thereof do not exceed Five Pounds shall be for ready money, if the value exceed that amount, a deposit of one-fourth of the amount of the sale shall be made, or a deposit of one tenth where the purchaser shall give Security to the satisfaction of the Fiscal for the payment of the residue; and the residue shall in either case be paid in two months; in default of due payment of the residue the deposit shall be forfeited for the benefit of the person suing out the writ in addition to his claim, and the property shall be resold at the risk of the first purchaser, unless, when security shall have been given as aforesaid, such party shall elect to avail himself of such security.

If Deposit not paid.

22. If at the sale of immoveable property the highest bidder on being declared the purchaser, shall not forthwith pay down the amount of deposit required, the next highest bidder shall, if thereupon [but not afterwards] so declared, be the purchaser and required to make deposit; and in like manner the other bidders in rotation. And each person failing to make the deposit shall be held liable to pay the difference between the amount of his offer, and the sum finally settled at the sale, to be levied on nonpayment within one week after demand made in writing by process of Parate execution, on the plaint of the Fiscal to the Court to whose Jurisdiction such person shall be liable, which plaint the Fiscal is hereby required in all cases to make forthwith, supported by the affirmation of the Fiscal or of the officer who conducted the sale, and process of Parate execution shall then forthwith issue.

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If full amount not paid on day appointed.

23. And in like manner if the purchaser of any immoveable property shall not make complete payment on the day appointed, and on a second sale taking place (publication whereof shall always be made in manner prescribed for the first sale) the amount of the purchase shall fall short of the amount for which the first sale was concluded, Parate Execution shall, on the plaint of the Fiscal (which plaint the Fiscal is hereby required in all cases to make forthwith, supported by the affirmation of himself or his officer who conducted the sale as to the circumstances) issue against the property and person of the first purchaser, and his sureties, if any, to recover for the benefit of the person suing out the writ, in addition to his claim, the difference between the amount of the second and first sale; and the like course shall be observed in respect of any subsequent sale rendered necessary by failure in payment of the purchase amount.

Conveyance of Immoveable property.

24. When the purchaser of immoveable property shall have made full payment of the price, the Fiscal, on being furnished by the purchaser with Stamped Paper of the proper amount by law required on conveyances of immoveable property, shall make out, execute and deliver to the purchaser a conveyance of the property according to the Form C. hereunto annexed, (as near as may be), on such stamped paper and a Duplicate thereof he shall execute without stamp, which Duplicate he shall transmit to the Court of the District in which the property is situate in like manner as now is or shall be required to be done by Notaries in respect of deeds executed before them, and the Fiscal's Officer by whom such conveyance and duplicate shall be drawn up shall be entitled to charge and receive from the purchaser for his trouble, when the amount of purchase shall exceed Three Pounds a fee of One Shilling, when it shall exceed Five Pounds a fee of Two Shillings, when it shall exceed Ten Pounds a fee of Three Shillings, when it shall exceed Twenty Pounds a fee of Five Shillings, and when it shall exceed Fifty Pounds a fee of Seven Shillings and Six pence and no more.

Fees on the same.

If Creditor purchase property sold.

25. In case the party in whose favor the execution is issued, become purchaser of any of the property sold, the amount of purchase shall be allowed in reduction of his claim, and in case it shall exceed his claim he shall only be required to pay the residue unless it shall be otherwise directed by the Court; no conveyance however of the property in any such case shall be made by the Fiscal to such purchaser but under express order of the Court, and the Fiscal's Officer shall be equally entitled to his fee upon the sale as if the amount so allowed were actually paid into Court.

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Disputed property.

15. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that in all cases of disputed property the person in possession, or if the property be in the joint possession of the debtor and any other person or persons, then the debtor shall be considered prima facie the proprietor thereof until the contrary be shewn or unless such reasonable suspicion be thrown on the right and title of such possessor as having originated in force or fraud as shall in the judgment of the Court require the possessor to prove his title.

If claim declared groundless.

16. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that whenever it shall appear to the District Court, and be so found and declared in any judgment pronounced by such Court in any suit instituted by or against any person or persons so claiming property pointed out or seized in Execution that such claim is altogether groundless and preferred only to defeat or delay the Execution, it shall be lawful for the said District Court to adjudge every such claimant to pay treble costs of suit, which shall be levied as and shall be a charge to which such claimant and his sureties shall be liable under the 13th and 16th Rules of the 14th Clause.

Allowance to Civil Prisoners.

17. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that the party or parties at whose suit any one or more persons shall be detained in prison, whether on mesne process or in execution, shall make an allowance in money for the maintenance of each person so detained at the rates to be fixed by order of the Government from time to time as occasion shall require—and such allowance shall be paid to the Fiscal one month in advance; and in case such allowance shall be in arrear the Court on application of the Fiscal or of the person so detained shall forthwith discharge such person who shall in the mean time, and until so discharged, be supported by Government.

Recovery of the same.

18. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that the amount of all allowances so paid for the maintenance of any prisoner shall be recoverable against him and his property by Process of Parate Execution on the plaint and affirmation of the person detaining.

Allowance to Criminal Prisoners.

19. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED that the rates of allowance in money or provisions to be made by Fiscals for the maintenance of prisoners committed under criminal process shall in like manner be fixed by order of the Government from time to time as occasion shall require.

Tables of Allowances to be affixed to Gaols.

20. PROVIDED ALWAYS that every Fiscal shall within three days from receiving any order fixing or varying the rates of Gaol allowance cause to be affixed in a conspicuous part of the Gaol a Copy thereof attested by him, together with a translation thereof in the Singhalese and Tamul languages.

Rules for payments to Fiscals and by Fiscals' officers.

21. AND IT IS FURTHER ENACTED, that payments to Fiscals and by Fiscals' officers shall be made in manner and subject to the rules following, and not otherwise:

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RULE 1. Whenever any person, whether the original debtor or a purchaser of property sold in Execution, shall have occasion to pay money to the Fiscal, he shall signify the same to the Fiscal or his Deputy, who shall give him a note addressed to the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of the Form subjoined (marked D) which the person who is to pay the money shall carry to such Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent's Office and deliver to the Shroff or Receiver of the office and pay to him the amount stated in such note.

2. The Receipt shall then be acknowledged by the Signature of the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent on that part of the note reserved for that purpose, which shall be cut off and delivered to the person who shall have made the payment, the remaining part being reserved as the authority for receiving the money.

3. In cases of payment of ready money or a partial payment for immoveable property the Fiscal shall give a receipt accordingly on stamped paper to be furnished by the purchaser.

4. The Fiscal's officers, shall make payment of all deposits and ready money received by them within Forty-eight Hours after the sale to the office of the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent being furnished for that purpose with a note of the said Form, marked D.

5. A Register of such notes in the subjoined Form marked E. shall be kept by the Fiscal liable to the call of Government at any period.

Monies paid in to be subject to order of Court.

22. AND IS IS FURTHER ENACTED that all monies paid into any Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent's Office as aforesaid shall be retained until disposed of by order of the Court whence the process of Execution shall have issued.

FORM, 'A.'

KNOW all Men by these presents that I, A. B. Esquire, Fiscal for the Province of in the Island of Ceylon, have nominated and deputed and do hereby nominate and depute C. D. to be my deputy in the said Office of, Fiscal during my pleasure.

Given under my hand and seal at the day of One thousand Eight Hundred and

FORM, 'B.'

In the District Court of

A. B. Plff.

v.

C. D. Deft.

Notice is hereby given that on the day of next at o'clock in the will be sold at the following property of the above named *(insert the name of the Owner)*

(Here insert a particular description of the property)

Colombo,

Signature of Fiscal

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FORM, 'C.'

WHEREAS by virtue of a writ of Execution issued from the Court of bearing date the day of 18 directed to the Fiscal of the Province whereby he was directed (here insert the directions of the writ) E. F. Esq. Fiscal of the said Province did cause to be seized and taken the Property herein-after described which after due Notice was exposed to public sale on the at by acting under the authority of the said Fiscal and sold to as the highest bidder at the said sale for the sum of

And Whereas the said (Purchaser) hath duly paid into the hands of the said Fiscal the whole of the said purchase Money and thereby become entitled to all the right title and interest of the said C. D. in the said Property;

NOW THESE PRESENTS WITNESS that the said Fiscal in consideration of the said sum of so paid by the said (purchaser) as aforesaid, the receipt whereof the said Fiscal doth hereby acknowledge, hath sold and assigned and by these presents doth sell and assign unto the said (purchaser) his Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Assigns the said Property; to wit
and bounded on the by
on the by
on the by
and on the by
containing

To have and hold the said Premises with their and every of their appurtenances to him the said (purchaser) his Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Assigns for ever.

In Witness whereof the said Fiscal hath hereunto subscribed Name at this day of in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and

Witnesses G. H. of (Fiscal's Signature.)
J. K. of

FORM, 'D.'

No. of Note	No. of Note
No. of Suit	No. of Suit
Name of Payer	To the Government Agent of
£	Please to receive
Date of Payment	from
Sig: of Cutcherry	£
received.	Fiscal's Office

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FORM, 'E.'

No.	No. of Suit	Name of Payer	On what Account	Amount	Date of Issue	Date when Receipt sent back

Given at Colombo this Twenty Third day of December One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-six.

By His Excellency's Command,

P. ANSTRUTHER,
Colonial Secretary

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Shipping Arrivals and Departures, at and from, the Several Principal Ports in Ceylon, during the year 1836.

ARRIVALS AT COLOMBO.

January 4th—Ship *Drongan* J. Mackenzie, master, from Calcutta.

13th—French Ship *Theodore and Eugene*, F. Beek, master from Bombay and Quilon.

21st—Ship *Tigris*, James Stevens, master, from Portsmouth and Madeira—*Passengers*, Lt.-Col. Macpherson Ceylon Rifles, Lt.-Col Dixon, Royal Engineers, Mrs. Dixon, Miss Dixon, Miss F. Dixon, Rev. Mr. Hardy, Mrs. Hardy, Dr. Cameron, Army Medical Staff, Lieutenants, Fenwick and Keane, Ceylon Rifles, and Mr. F. Templer—John Brown and Mary Connor, Steerage, Elizabeth Donolly, Servant to Mrs. Dixon.

25th—H. C. Surveying Ship *Benares*, R. Moresby, Esq., Commander, from Maldive Islands and Point de Galle.

29th—Bark *Eliza Ann*, J. Poulson, master, from the Malabar Coast, —*Passenger*, Mr. H. Tranchell.

February 2d—H. M. Ship *Andromache*, H. D. Chads, Esq., Capt. from Trincomalie and Galle.

7th—Ship *Clorinde*, J. B. Superville, master, from Pondicherry—*Passengers*, Captain and Mrs. Hill and 2 children, Mrs. Sesar, Mr. Acton, Dr. Galliard, Mr. J. Scherbordt and Mr. Argant.

16th—Ship *Palmira*, Wm. Loader, master, from London, bound to Bombay—*Passengers*, Col. Jones, Mrs. Col. Allan, Mrs. Prother, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs Mault, Miss Allan, Miss McGregor, Miss Dale, Miss Manlt, Mr. Prother, Mr. Stewart, Signore Gregorio, Signore Ludovico, one female Servant, one native Servant and one Soldier.

March 1st—Bark *Swallow*, W. Adam, master, from Calcutta and Madras—*Passengers*, Mrs. W. Hope, Col. Craigie, H. M. 55th Regt., and Miss Madyan for Colombo,

7th—Ship *Valleyfield*, J. Swinton, master, from Cork, Plymouth and Cape of Good-Hope—*Passengers*, Captain H. Suckling, Mrs. Suckling, Mr. H. Suckling, F. Suckling, Captain H. Cuming and Assistant Surgeon W. Blake, 4 Serjeants, 2 Buglers, 66 Rank and file, 15 women and 20 children, H. M. 90th Regiment—Ensign G. Harkness, Ensign W. de Butts and Qr. Mr. W. Clarke, 1 Serjeant 50 Rank and file, 4 women and 11 children, H. M. 61st Regiment—Ensign R. Shields, 1 Serjeant, 25 Rank and file, 1 woman and 1 child, of H. M. 78th Regiment—1 Serjeant, 20 Rank and file, 1 woman & 3 children H. M. 58th Regiment.

8th—Ship *Mermaid*, Ingram Chapman, master, from Portsmouth Madeira and Cape of Good Hope—*Passengers*, Mrs. Keith, Mrs. Johnson, Miss Headman, Major Keith, Lt. Johnson, Lt. Welsted and 24 Servants.

April 22d—H. M. Brig *Algerine*, Lt. W. S. Thomas, Commander, from Trincomalie—*Passengers*, Mr. Craven for Bombay, Lt. G. Innes, R. A., 1 Serjeant, 5 Privates, 1 woman and 9 children, H. M. 61st Regt. for Colombo.

23rd—Bark *Swallow*, W. Adam, master, from Bombay and Quilon —*Passenger*, H, M. Low, Esq.

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26th—H. M. Ship *Victor*, R. Crozier, Esq., Captain, from Bombay and Cochin.

30th—Bark *Commodore*, J. Fisher, master, from Liverpool and Cape of Good Hope—*Passengers*, T. Bouttlet, Esq., and W. E. Cooper, Esq.

MAY 2D—Ship *Symmetry*, A. Mackwood, master, from London—*Passengers*, Major Ricketts, 58th Regiment, Mrs. Ricketts and son, Lts. Burriss and Vigors, C. R., Mr. Wallbeoff, Miss Ackland, A. Stevens and 2 Servants.

3rd—H. M. Ship *Victor*, R. Crozier, Esq., Captain, from Point de Galle.

5th—Ship *Andromache*, J. Andrews, master, for Bombay—*Passengers*, Mrs. and Miss Andrews, Lt. W. Edwards, 5th N. I., Lady and 3 children, Ensign Druman, 14th N. I. and Lady, Ensign Sproall, 8th N. I., Gentleman Cadet Hoare Rowley, Esq., T. Wareham, Esq., Purser, I. N. Mr. Wells, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Sullivan and 2 Maid Servants.

21st—Ship *Sir Charles Malcolm*, James Lyon, master, from Plymouth—*Passengers*, Lt. Col. Arbuthnot, Mrs. Arbuthnot and child, Major Slade, Captains Wilson, Eld, and Egerton, Lieutenants Caldwell, Eyton, Galway, Webb and Cotton, Ensigns Bringhurst, Lord A. Chichester, Fane, Thackwell, Mackworth, Hickey and Chester, Paymaster Eager, Dr. Robertson, Mrs. Eager and 3 Misses Eager, 438 Rank and file, 37 woman and 27 children, of H. M. 90th Regt.

31st—H. M. Ship *Jupiter*, Honble F. W. Grey, Captain, from Calcutta—*Passengers*, Captain Murray, Lieutenant Darling, Captain Sir Henry Chamberlain, Bart., and a detachment of R. A.

JUNE 24TH—Ship *Symmetry*, A. Mackwood, master, from Trincomalie.

JULY 23D—Bark *Iris*, W. Mackwood, master, from Torbay—*Passengers*, Mrs. Fitzmaurice and 2 children, D. Wilson, Esq., Lt. Hawkins, R. E., Mr Holgate and 2 Servants.

AUGUST 23D—Barque *Pero*, J. Palmer, master, from Tutucoreen—*Passenger*, R. Jeffery, Esq.

SEPTEMBER 5TH—Barque *Arcturus*, Oliver, master, from England.

16th—Brig *George and Mary*, Joseph Gibson, master, from London.

8th—Barque *Agrippina*, W. Rogers, master, from London—*Passengers*, E. R. Power, Esq., Mrs. Power, Lieutenant Fisher, 58th Regt., Lieutenant Holworthy, Ceylon Rifle Regt., Mrs. Quintom, Messrs. G. Quintom and D. Quintom, Corporal Senerot, 58th Regiment and Mrs. Senerot and Child.

10th—Barque *Indemnity*, J. Roberts, master, from Mauritius.

NOVEMBER 4TH—Brig *Waverley*, C. Hobart, master, from Bombay—*Passenger*, W. J. F. Webb.

5th—Brig *Eleanor*, N. J. Lyons, master, from Trincomalie—*Passengers*, Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow.

NOVEMBER 21ST—Barque *Fairy Queen*, B. B. Cousens, master, from London.

DECEMBER 9TH—Ship *Helen*, G. Setford master, from Penang—*Passengers* Mr. and Mrs. Run[illegible] and Miss Ross.

10th—Barque *New York Packet*, J. Gregory master, from Calcutta—*Passenger* F. S. Henley Esq.

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12th—Ship *Annandale*, J. R. Hill master, from Bombay.

13th—H. M. Ship *Winchester* bearing the flag of His Excellency Rear Admiral The Hon'ble Sir T. B. Capel K. C. B., Edward Sparshott Esq. Captain, from Trincomalee.

20th—Barque *Fortfield*, James Sly, master from Bombay.

DEPARTURES FROM COLOMBO.

JANUARY 3RD—French Ship *LaMarie*, Briole, master from Bordeaux

5th—American Ship *Shepherdess*, J. Kensinan, master for New York —*Passenger*, Rev. Mr. Stone.

5th—Ship *Morley*, J. A. Douglas, master for London—*Passengers*, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett and family, Capt. and Mrs. Chauvel, and family, Lieut. Beverhoudt, H. M. 58th Regt. Lt. Gottereaux, M. N. I. Dr. Fitzmaurice R. A., J. Caulfield Esq. and Mrs. Smith, servant

5th—Ship *Drongan*, J. Mackenzie, master, for Calcutta—*Passengers*, Major and Mrs. Hall, Lt. Field, and one European woman.

9th—Brig *Clifton*, T. Worsell master, for London—*Passengers*, Mrs Worsell, Mrs. Jeffery and 2 children, and Mrs. Lowry servant.

22nd—Bark *Fairy Queen*, G. R. Douthwaite, master for London—*Passengers*, Lt. and Mrs. McKay, Lt. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ackland and family, C. Young Esq. Mr. Ingham, Mr. Cochrane, and 3 servants.

23rd—Ship *Theodore*, and *Eugene*, T. Beek, master, for Bordeaux.

30th— Bark *Eliza Ann*, J. Poulson, master, for the Malabar Cost.

FEBRUARY 7TH—H. M. Ship *Andromache*, H. D. Chads Esq. Captain, on a Cruise.

15th—Ship *Colombo*, D. Mackellar, master, for London—*Passengers* Colonel Vavasour R. E.,—H. R. Sneyd Esq. and 2 children, Lieut. Layard C. R. R. Mrs. Selkirk and 1 child, 2 Misses Layard, and 3 servants.

17th—French Ship *Clotinde*, J. B. Superville, master, for Bordeaux —*Passengers*, Captain and Mrs. Hill, and 2 children, Mrs. Sesar. Mr. A. C. Acton, Dr. Galliard, and Mr. Sherboedt.

20th—Ship *Palmira*, W. Loader, master, from London bound to Bombay—*Passengers*, Mrs. Col. Allan, Mrs. Prother, Mrs Stuart, Mrs. Mault, Misses Allen Mault, McGregor, Dale, Col. Jones, Capt. Brown, Mr. Fyers, Mr. Prother, Mr. Stewart, Signore Gregorio, Siguore Ludovico, 1 Soldier and 2 servants.

28th—Brig *Highland*, J. Taylor, master, from Calcutta—*Passenger* Mr. G. Hudson.

28th—H. M. Sloop *Victor*, R. Cozier Esq. Captain, from Trincomalee.

MARCH 2D—Bark *Swallow* W. Adam, master, for Bombay—*Passenger*, Miss Madigan.

3rd—Ship *Tigris*, J. Stevens, master, for London—*Passengers*, Lady Marshall, The Hon'ble Sir Charles Marshall, The Hon'ble R. Boyd Esq. Dr. Forbes, J. G. Forbes Esq. Dr. McAndrew Lt. Rothe, 1 European female attendant and 1 European man servant.

6th—H. M. Ship *Rattlesnake*, Capt. Hobson, for Trincomalee.

10th—Ship *Mermaid*, J Chapman, master, for Bombay—*Passengers* Major and Mrs. Keith, Lt. and Mrs. Johnson, Miss Stedmen, Miss Jane Stedmen, Lt. Welsted and 4 servants.

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APRIL 7TH—Bark *Valleyfield*, J. Swinton, master for London.

26th do *Swallow*, W. Adam, master for Madras—*Passengers*, Rev. O. Glenie and H. M. Low Esq.

29th—H. M. Ship *Victor*, N. Crozier Esq. captain on a Cruise.

MAY 4TH—Ship *Palmira*, W. Loader, master for London—*Passengers*, Col. Clifford, Major Stewart, Lt. Philips, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Tranchell, Mrs, Boaden and child, Mrs, Latham, Major Mason, Capt. Moore, Lt. Lockington, Lt. Rippon, Dr. Clark, Mr. Bird, Mr. Malcolm, 2 Invalids 1 Native servant, 48 male convicts, and 1 female—do.

15th—Ship *Symmetry*, A. Mackwood, master for Trincomalee—*Passengers*, Mr. and Mrs. Gisborne and family.

24th—Barque *Commodore*, J. Fisher, master for London—*Passenger* W. Cooper Esq.

JUNE 2D Brig *Algerine*, Lt. W. Thomas, Commander, for Trincomalee—*Passenger* T. Craven Esq.

5th—H. M. Ship *Jupiter*, Hon'ble F. W. Grey, Capt. for London—*Passengers*, Head Quarters of H. M. 97th Regt. viz. Col. Hamilton. and family, Captains Hutchison, Handcock, and McIntosh, Mrs. Hutchinson and family, Surgeon Austin, Mrs. Austin and family, Lts. McCaskill, Nagel, Keatinge and Cummin, Mrs. Nagel and family, Mrs. Cummin, Ensign and Adjutant Moore, Paymaster Aldrich, Q. M. Sleator, 25 Serjeants 7 Drummers, 317 Rank and File, 20 women and 46 children.

7th—Ship *Africa*, J. Skelton, master, from England.

JULY 4TH—Ship *Africa*, J. Skelton, master, for London—*Passengers* Major Darrah H. M. 97th Regt. Mrs. Darrah and family, Assistant Surgeon Cavet H. M. 97th Regt. Mrs. Cavet and family, Lt. Hunt H. M. 97th Regt. Mrs. Hunt and family, Lt. Henry H. M. 97th Regt Mrs. Henry and family, Lts. Burrows, Green and Lisle H. M. 97th Regt. Lt. Rowan H. M. 58th Regt. Lt. Faunce H. M. 21st Regt. Assistant Surgeon Rumley C. R. and 4 children, Mr. Kelson, Mr. Gogerly, 6 Serjeants, 2 Drummers, 96 Rank and File, 14 women and 35 children of H. M. 97th Regt. 1 Serjeant, 2 Rank and File of H. M. 58th Regt. 1 Bombardier and 1 Gunner R. A. 2 Serjeants, 6 Rank and File 1 woman and 8 children of H. M. 61st Regt. 1 Serjeant 10 Rank and File, 1 woman and 4 children of H. M. 78th Regt. 1 woman and 6 children C. R Regt.

AUGUST 3D—Barque *Pero*, J. H. Palmerlsy, Captain, for Trincomalee—*Passenger*, R. Jeffery Esq.

31st—Barque *Mexicain*, A. Lubbert master from Bombay.

NOVEMBER 16TH—Brig *Eleanor*, N. J. Lyons master, for Bombay

17th—Barque *Agrippina*, W. Rodgers master for London—*Passengers*, Mrs. Fitzmaurice and 2 children, Mr. Brook and servant.

DECEMBER 11TH—Barque *Indemnity*, J. Roberts, master for London.

25th—Barque *Eliza Jean*, T. Canney, master, for London.

27th—Barque *Fairy Queen*, B. B. Cousens master, for London.

27th—Barque *Fortfield*, James Sly master, for Calcutta.

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ARRIVALS AT GALLE.

JANUARY 15TH—Bark *Dona Carmelita*, Charles Edwards, master, from Bombay—*Passengers*, Mrs. Hall and child.

do.—Brig *Fauze*, C. F. Poulier, master, from Madras—*Passengers*, Ensign Frost, 63 men, 6 women, and 9 children of H. M. 57th Regt.

16th—Bark *Eliza Ann*, J. Poulson, master, from Cayenquilon—*Passengers*, Mrs. Poulson and Mr. H. Tranchell.

19th—H. C. Surveying Ship *Benares*, R. Moresby, Esq., Commander, from Maldives.

30th—H. M. Ship *Andromache*, H. D. Chads, Esq., Captain, from Trincomalie—*Passengers*, G. H. Cripp, Esq., Mrs. Cripps and child and 2 Servants.

FEBRUARY 4TH—Brig *Reunion*, J. Gaudert, master, from Moulmain.

18th—Brig *Galatea*, Wm. Tayt, master, from Mauritius.

24th—H. C. Surveying Schooner *Royal Tiger*, F. T. Powell, Esq., master, from Maldives.

MARCH 10TH—Brig *Highland Chief*, J. Taylor, master, from Colombo.

23d—H. C. Brig of War *Tigris*, W. Igglesdon, Esq., Commander, from Bombay and Cochin—*Passenger*, Lieutenant Mann, Horse Artillery.

27th—Bark *Virginia*, J. Hullock, master, from Calcutta—*Passengers*, R. Beatson, Esq. and W. Capon, Esq.

APRIL 2D—Portuguese Brigantine *Aurelia*, A. J. de Barros, master, from Macao and Singapore.

27th—Bark *Swallow*, W. Adam, master, from Colombo—*Passenger*, Revd. O. Glenie.

JULY 25TH—French Ship *Actif*, Mauclerc, master, from Nantes and Bourbon—*Passenger*, Mr. Poillet.

NOVEMBER 10TH—Brig *George and Mary*, J. Gibson, master, from Colombo bound to London.

30th—Brig *Vencatareddy*, C. L. Rogers, master, from Madras—*Passengers*, J. Ross, Esq., W. R. Potts, Esq., T. H. Burn, Esq., Mrs. Thomson and child.

DECEMBER 17TH—H. C. Pilot Brig *Megna*, Lieutenant J. A Young I. N., Commander, for Calcutta—*Passenger*, Lt. Baynes, Bombay Artillery.

27th—Barque *Fortfield*, James Sly, master from Colombo.

DEPARTURES FROM GALLE.

JANUARY 1ST—Bark *Zoe*, W. Holmes, master, for Mauritius.

16th—Brig *Fauze*, C. F. Poulier, master, for Cananore—*Passengers* Ensign Frost, 63 men, 6 women, and 9 children of H. M. 57th Regt.

17th—Bark *Dona Carmelita*, Chas. Edwards, master, for Calcutta—*Passengers* Mrs. Hall and child.

26th—H. C. Surveying Ship *Benares*, R. Moresby, Esq., Commander, for Cochin.

21st—H. M. Ship *Andromache*, H. D. Chads, Esq., Captain, for Colombo.

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FEBRUARY 8TH—Brig *Reunion*, J. Gaudert, master, for the Maldives.
MARCH 8TH—Bark *W. Dampier*, H. R Sartorius, master, for Maldives
15th—H. C. Surveying Schooner *Royal Tiger*, F. S. Powell, Esq., Commander, for Cochin and Maldives.
17th—Brig *Highland Chief*, J. Taylor, master, for Madras.
19th—Brig *Galatea*, W. Tayt, master, for Cape of Good Hope and London.
20th—Ship *Glenely*, R. Sungley, master, for Bombay—*Passengers* Mrs. Bird, Miss Day, Mrs. Hathway and 2 children, Mrs, Watt, G. Bird, Esq., R. Granger Esq., 6 native Servants and 1 Chinaman.
26th—H. C. Brig of War *Tigris* Wm. Igglesdon, Esq., Commander, for New Holland and Torres Straits—*Passenger* Lt. Mann, H. A,
28th—Bark *Virginia*, J. Hullock, master, for Bombay—*Passenger*, W. Capon, Esq.
APRIL 3D—Portuguese *Brigantine Aurelia*, A. J. de Barres, master, from Bombay—*Passenger*, R. Smith, Esq.
28th—Bark *Swallow*, W. Adam, master, for Madras—*Passenger*, Rev. O. Glenie.
MAY 1ST—H. M. Ship *Victor*, R. Crozier, Esq., Captain for Colombo.
JULY 26TH—French Ship *Actif*, Mauclere, master, for Pondicherry —*Passenger*, Mr. Paillet.
OCTOBER 20TH—Barque *Arcturus*, J. Oliver, master for London.
DECEMBER 26TH—Barque *Moffatt*, T. Bolton, master, for Bombay—*Passengers*, Captain McPherson, Lieutenants Nagel, Kelly and Corry, Ensign Wilman, Assistant Surgeon Smith, P. Scott, Esq. B. C. S., Mrs. McPherson and 6 children, Mrs. Nagel and 2 children and Mrs. Smith.

ARRIVALS AT TRINCOMALIE.

JNUARY 6TH—H. M. Ship *Raleigh*, Captain Quin from Madras.
14th—H. M. Ship *Andromache*, Captain Chads C. B. from Madras —*Passenger*, Lt. Fyers, H. M. 4th Dragoons.
30th—H. M. Sloop *Victor*, Captain Crozier from Madras—*Passenger*, Honble Lieut. J. R. Drummond, R. N.
MARCH 2D—H. M. Ship *Raleigh*, Captain Quin from Calcutta and Madras.
14th—H. M. Ship *Rattlesnake*, Captain Hobson from Colombo.
MAY 5TH—H. M. Ship *Hyacinth*, Captain Blackwood from Madras.
8th— do. *Victor*, Captain Crozier from Colombo.
14th— do. *Raleigh*, Captain Quin from Bombay and Colombo.
20th—Ship *Symmetry*, Mackwood, master, from Colombo—*Passengers*, Mrs. Gisborne, Wm. Gisborne, Esq. and 2 children.
JUNE 7TH—H. M. Brig *Algerine*, Lieutenant Thomas Commander, from Colombo—*Passengers*, T. Craven, Esq. and 2 Artillery Gunners.
14th—H. M. Ship *Winchester*, Captain Sparshott, K. H. bearing the Flag of the Naval Commander in Chief from Bombay.
15th— do. *Rose*, Captain Barrow from Madras.
JULY 4TH—H. M. Brig *Algerine*, Lieutenant Thomas, Commander, from Madras.
19th—H. M. Ship *Wolf*, Captain Stanley, from Madras.

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AUGUST 9TH—Brig *Algerine*, W. Thomas, Esq., Commander from Madras.

SEPTEMBER 20TH—Ship *Theresa*, Captain Walter Young H. C. S. from Portsmouth—*Passengers*, Hon. John Frederick Stoddart, Esq., Second Puisne Justice, Captain J. Macartney, Lt. Robert Mackenzie, Messrs. Edward Martin, J. W. Stratchny, A. Young, Captain Edward Watt, Mr. Robert Smith, W. Kettlewell, Esq., Alexander Anderson, Esq., Mr. Anderson, J. H. Sourkrop, Esq., Master G. Anderson, Miss Mary Anderson, Hester Anderson and Hannah Anderson, Mr. S. Cook, Mrs. Cook, William Bowen and Watkin James.

OCTOBER 18TH—H. M. Ship *Winchester*, Captain Sparshott K. H. from Madras—*Passengers*, H. R. Scott, Esq. and Mrs. Scott.

DEPARTURES FROM TRINCOMALIE.

JANUARY 7TH—H. M. Ship *Winchester*, bearing the Flag of H. E. the Naval Commander in Chief, Captain Sparshott, K. H. for Bombay.

do.—H. M. Ship *Algerine*, Lieutenant W. S. Thomas, Commander, for Bombay.

10th— do. *Raleigh*, Captain Quin for Madras and Calcutta.

18th— do. *Wolf*, Captain Stanley for Madras—*Passenger*, Payne, Esq.

19th—French Brig *L'Eugene*, Porevreau, master, for Karacal.

22d—Brig *Will Watch*, J. L. Bristow, master, for Singapore.

28th—H. M. Ship *Andromache*, H. D. Chads, Esq., Captain for Galle and Colombo—*Passengers*, Mrs. Cripps and child, G. H. Cripps, Esq., Lieutenant Fyers, H. M. 4th Dragoons, 1 Serjeant H. M. 61st Regiment and 2 Privates of Royal Artillery.

FEBRUARY 25TH—H. M. Sloop *Victor*, Captain Crozier for Bombay—*Passenger*, Lieutenant the Honble J. R. Drummond R. N.

MARCH 12TH—H. M. Ship *Raleigh*, Captain Quin for Bombay.

22d— do. *Rattlesnake*, Captain Hudson for Madras.

MAY 7TH— do. *Hyacinth*, Capt. Blackwood for Bombay.

24th— do. *Victor*, Captain Crozier for Madras and New South Wales.

JUNE 2D— do. *Raleigh*, Captain Quin for Madras.

2d—Ship *Symmetry*, A. Mackwood, master, for Colombo.

20th—H. M. Brig *Algerine*, Lieutenans Thomas, Commander, for Madras.

JULY 19TH—H. M. Ship *Wolf*, Captain Stanley for Madras.

30th—H. M. Brig *Algerine*, Lieutenant W. Thomas, Commander, for Madras.

do.—H. M. Ship *Hyacinth*, Captain Blackwood for the Cape and St. Helena, Ascension and England, having on board Invalids from the Squadron.

AUGUST 27TH—H. M. Brig *Algerine*, W. S. Thomas, Esq., Commander, for Madras.

OCTOBER 6TH—H. M. Ship *Winchester*, Captain Sparshott K. H. for Madras—*Passengers*, H. R. Scott, Esq. and Mrs. Scott.

24th—H. M. Brig *Algerine*, Captain W. S. Thomas for Madras.

NOVEMBER 2D—Brig *Eleanor*, N. J. Lyon, master for Colombo and Bombay—*Passengers*, Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow.

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DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

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BIRTHS.

JANUARY 8TH—At Cotta, Mrs. W. Ridsdale, of a son.

9TH———The Lady of Captain Parke H. M. 61st Regt., of a son.

MARCH 7TH—At Kandy, the Lady of W. H. Whiting Esq. Civil Service, of a daughter.

APRIL 3RD—At Colombo, the Lady of Lieut. Henry H. M. 97th Regt., of a son.

9TH—At Nuwera Ellia, the Lady of Lieut. J. J. Dwyer C. R. of a son.

29TH—At Colombo, the Lady of Major Charlton of H.M. 61st Regt. of a daughter.

28TH—At Trincomalee, the Lady of Charles St. John Esq. M. D. of a son.

———At Kandy, the Lady of Lieut. Col. Fraser D. Q. M. Genl. of a daughter.

JUNE 2ND—At Colombo, the Lady of Lieut. T. Blomfield Hunt 97th Regt., of a daughter.

8TH—At Colombo, the Lady of Captain Schneider, of a son.

———At Kurnegalle, the Lady of Captain Firebrace, of a daughter.

18TH—At Kurnegalle, the Lady of Captain McPherson, of a son.

JULY 19TH—At Colombo, the Lady of Lieut. Watson 58th Regt. of a daughter.

AUGUST 2ND———Mrs. C. W. Hoffman, of a daughter.

17TH———The Lady of the Honble J. Perring Esq., of a son.

29TH—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. G. M. Nell, of a son.

8TH SEPTEMBER—At Nuwera Ellia, the Lady of Captain Kelson 97th Regt., of a daughter.

———At Colombo, the wife of Mr. G. J. Ohlmus, of a daughter.

OCTOBER 27TH—At Colombo, the wife of Mr. Dionysius De Neys, of a son.

DECEMBER 25TH—At Colombo, Mrs. Marsh, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

APRIL 28TH—At Colombo, the Honble W. O. Carr Esq., to Elizabeth Maria, daughter of Lieut. Col. Clement, Royal Artillery.

———At Putlam, Mr. B. Van Gunster, to Miss Ann Elizabeth, third daughter of Mr. P. Koertsz.

DECEMBER 31ST—At Colombo, Lieut. J. M. Macdonald, C. R. R., to Isabella Maria, second daughter of Captain Bagenall C. R. R.

DEATHS.

FEBRUARY 14TH—At Galle, Gerald Benjamin, only son of the late Lieut. Giesler, Second Ceylon Regt., aged 19 years.

26TH—At Colombo, Mr. H. A. Reckerman, aged 37 years.

MARCH 23RD—At Colombo, Henry William, son of Mr. C. W. Hoffman, aged 3 years.

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APRIL 12TH—At Colombo, Mr. Charles Weinman, aged 34 years.
14TH—At Putlam, Elewe Tamby Amblagar, Proctor of the District Court of Putlam.
25TH—At Trincomalee, Ann, the wife of H. B. Morris Hospital Serjt. 61st Regt.
MAY 5TH—At Aripo, Mr. J. G. Freywer, aged 28 years.
14TH—At Colombo, A. Commeresamy Esq., aged 52 years.
17TH—At Colombo, Mrs. Lourensz, the widow of the late Mr. J. H. Lourensz.
JUNE 1ST—At Colombo, Mrs. G. E. C. De Vos, aged 33 years.
2ND—At Colombo, Wilson Thomas, infant son of Captain Bagenall, aged 2 years.
9TH—At Baddegam, George Steers, infant son of the Rev. Mr. Faught, aged 11 weeks.
17TH—At Jaffna, Mrs. M. A. Kock, aged 24 years.
23RD—At Colombo, Mrs. E. J. Gambs, aged 22 years.
JULY 2ND—At Colombo, Jane Charlotte, 5th daughter of Mr. Wootler.
2ND—At Trincomalee, Mrs. Lavaliere, aged 56 years.
AUGUST 10TH—At Colombo, Mr. Geo. Michael Nell, aged 38 years.
21ST——— Catherine, the wife of Serjeant Curren 61st Regt., aged 29 years.
SEPTEMBER 11TH—At Colombo, Adriana Welhelmina, third daughter of Mr. C. Moldreck, aged 7 years.
DECEMBER 2ND———Mrs. Sarah Weinman, aged 26 years.
17TH—At Colombo, James Titterton Esq., aged 47 years.
17TH—At Colombo, Johanna Margerita, infant daughter of M. Gomes Modliar, aged 2 months.

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